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# MEMORANDA.

**Trade.**—The Oversea Imports, excluding gold, during September, 1919, were valued at £3,040,074, and show a decrease of £961,957—or 24 per cent., as compared with the corresponding month of last year. The total for three months, July to September, 1919, was £8,433,637, a decrease of £2,412,232, or over 22 per cent. in comparison with the corresponding period in 1918.

The Oversea Exports, excluding gold, during September, 1919, amounted to £5,287,217, being an increase of £2,546,585, or 92·9 per cent., as compared with the corresponding month of last year. For the three months, July to September, 1919, there was an increase of £3,011,313, or 30·6 per cent. compared with the figures for 1918.

**Imports at Sydney.**—Excluding imports from State ports, the articles imported at Sydney in September were valued at £5,020,382. The following is a summary of imports and transhipments during the month :—

Imports.			Weight and Measurement.	Value.	Transshipments.			Weight and Measurement.
			tons.	£				tons.
Oversea	...	...	54,615	2,933,970	Oversea	...	...	13,353
Interstate	...	...	47,881	2,086,412	Interstate	...	...	4,813
From State Ports	...	...	139,054	*	To State Ports	...	...	6,458

\* Value not available.

During the three months, July to September, 1919, the oversea imports were valued at £8,230,650, and the Interstate imports at £2,663,522, the total of the two being £10,894,172.

**Public Finances—Consolidated Revenue Accounts.**—The Public Accounts for September show that the net revenue for the month was £2,076,280, being an increase of £365,227, or 21·3 per cent. as compared with September, 1918. During the three months, July to September, 1919, the revenue was £5,608,375, being £582,048, or 11·6 per cent. more than the corresponding period of the last financial year.

Principal increases during the three months were— £

From Commonwealth Returns	...	...	16,131
Taxation (by State)	...	...	72,953
Public Lands	...	...	26,436
Railways and Tramways	...	...	483,688
Pilotage, Harbour and Light Rates	...	...	16,253

Principal decreases during the same period were— £

Sydney Harbour Trust	...	...	13,154
Forestry—Timber Licenses, &c.	...	...	2,469

The expenditure during September was £1,983,416, an increase of £319,657 or 19·2 per cent., as compared with September of last year. During the three months ended 30th September the expenditure was £6,313,648, being £1,197,112 or 23·4 per cent. more than in 1918.

Principal increases during the three months were— £

Government Departments	...	...	169,300
Business Undertakings	...	...	668,025
Interest Payments	...	...	359,786

On the 30th September, 1919, the Consolidated Revenue Account was in debit to the amount of £1,392,636.



**Loan Expenditure.**—The following table shows the net Loan Expenditure (including payments in anticipation of loans) during September and July to September, 1918 and 1919.

Service.	September.		July to September.	
	1918.	1919.	1918.	1919.
	£	£	£	£
Works and Services ...	302,645	665,409	1,114,463	1,719,301
Repayment of Loans ...	38,572	149,806	38,572	11,110,343
Total ... ..	£ 341,217	815,215	1,153,035	12,829,644

The net Loan expenditure on works and services was £362,764 greater than in September, 1918, and showed an increase of £604,838 during the three months July to September, as compared with the figures of the previous year. Repayments of loans to the amount of £149,806 were made in September, 1919, and to the amount of £11,110,343 during the three months July to September, 1919.

**Railways.**—The report on railways for the quarter ended 30th September, 1919, shows that, compared with the corresponding quarter of last year, the earnings increased by £773,201 and the working expenses by £500,881, the net result being an increase in earnings of £272,320, to which all classes of traffic contributed. Relatively the earnings increased by 1s. 8½d., and the expenditure by 1s. 1d. per train mile.

**Tramways.**—The total earnings for all lines of Tramways during September quarter 1919 amounted to £628,354, and the working expenses to £491,940, leaving a surplus of £136,414. There was an increase of over 5 million passengers carried, in comparison with the figures of the September quarter of the previous year.

**Banks.**—The principal features disclosed in the banking averages for the quarter ended 30th September, 1919, are a considerable decrease in deposits, due principally to the transactions of the Commonwealth Bank in connection with repatriation, &c., and a corresponding decline in advances. Compared with the corresponding period of last year, there was a decrease of £4,734,159 in current accounts, and in deposits as a whole (which include Commonwealth Savings Bank deposits amounting to £5,420,775) of £2,366,626, the deposits bearing interest indicating an increase of £2,367,533. The reserves of coin and bullion decreased during the year by £1,127,434, and by £705,779 during the quarter. Advances decreased by £1,146,221 during the quarter, but increased during the year by £5,358,035. The proportion of cash, bullion, and notes to total liabilities now stands at 24·1 per cent. Included in the cash held is an amount of £12,384,699 new Australian notes, as against £12,142,249 for September of the previous year.

**Gold Production.**—The gold yield during September, 1919, was 3,090 oz. crude, equal to 3,061 oz. fine, valued at £13,001, and showed a decrease of 4,466 oz. fine, and £18,971 in value, compared with September of last year. The value of the gold produced during the nine months was £169,756, and showed a decrease of 23,139 oz. fine, and £98,287 in value, in the figures for the corresponding period of last year.

**Land Selections.**—During September 180 applications were made for 123,723 acres under the Crown Lands Acts; and 108,787 acres, representing 230 blocks, were gazetted for residential settlement, which include areas set apart for returned soldiers. Since the beginning of the year the number of applications has been 1,534, and the area applied for 1,333,411 acres. The original area gazetted for residential settlement since the 1st January is 765,974 acres, representing 1,384 blocks.

**Cost of Living, Sydney.**—From the information collected each month (*see* Table 54) as to the average retail prices in Sydney of food and groceries, it appears that in September, 1919, prices were 51·8 per cent. higher than in July, 1914; 14·3 per cent. higher than in September, 1918; and 1·0 per cent. lower than in the preceding month, August, 1919.

Meat, which is included in the results quoted above, shows prices in September, 1919, 68·4 per cent. higher than in July, 1914; 10·5 per cent. higher than in September, 1918; and 1·7 per cent. lower than August, 1919.

Beef and mutton were each cheaper than in the preceding month, but pork prices were advanced. Eggs were dearer, also coffee and jam. The prices of potatoes and onions were very high, but showed a slight decrease, and butter and currants were somewhat cheaper.

The following is a statement of the price levels since July, 1914, the levels for which were taken as base, and called 100 :—

Month.	Meat.	Other Food and Groceries.	Meat, other Food and Groceries combined.
July, 1914	100	100	100
September, 1915	166·8	121·5	133·2
„ 1916	166·2	119·5	131·6
„ 1917	193·4	122·8	141·0
„ 1918	152·3	126·0	132·8
January, 1919	166·6	140·2	147·0
February „	166·6	143·4	149·4
March „	169·9	144·7	151·2
April „	173·0	142·9	150·7
May „	173·1	144·5	151·9
June „	173·0	145·1	152·3
July „	175·2	145·2	152·9
August „	171·4	147·2	153·4
September „	168·4	146·1	151·8

**Meteorology.**—The rainfall during September was very unsatisfactory, except in a few scattered places. The weather on the whole was warm and springlike, varied occasionally by extremes of heat and cold. A temperature of 92·3, on 27th September, was the highest registered at Sydney in any September since 1859. The extreme maximum in other parts during this month was 99 degrees.

**Vital Statistics—Sydney and Suburbs—September, 1919.**—The births registered numbered 1,562, equal to 23·65 per 1,000 of population per annum; of the total, 802 were males and 760 females. The rate is low, being 11·5 per cent. below the average of the previous five years.

The deaths numbered 774, namely, 404 males and 370 females. The mortality rate of 11·72 per 1,000 of population per annum is unsatisfactory, being 6·4 per cent. above the average of the previous five years. The high rate is attributable to the deaths from influenza, 50 deaths being ascribed to this cause during the month. Of these, 39 were certified as due to pneumonic-influenza, 8 to influenza, and 3 to influenza with pneumonia. The deaths were below the average in age-group 1-4 years, and above the average in age-groups under 1 year, 5-64, and 65 and over.

The infantile mortality (deaths under 1 year) was 76·2 per 1,000 births, and is 26·4 per cent. above the average for the month of September, for the previous five years.

**New Buildings—Metropolis.**—According to returns supplied by the several Town Clerks, there were erected, in the Metropolitan area, during September, 720 new buildings, as compared with 410 in September, 1918.

The total for the nine months, January to September, 1919, was 4,902, as compared with 3,799 during the corresponding period of 1918.



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## No. 1.—Population of New South Wales.

Year.	Estimated Population at end of Year.			Annual Increase.		Mean Population.
	Males.	Females.	Total.	Numerical.	Per cent.	
1908	809,240	750,786	1,560,026	28,046	1'83	1,545,700
1909	829,329	767,356	1,596,685	36,659	2'35	1,577,200
1910	852,680	785,540	1,638,220	41,535	2'60	1,616,200
1911	889,391	809,345	1,698,736*	62,240*	3'80	1,664,500*
1912	935,979	842,983	1,778,962	80,226	4'72	1,738,600
1913	962,749	869,707	1,832,456	53,494	3'01	1,809,400
1914	967,033	894,995	1,862,028	29,572	1'61	1,853,400
1915	953,162	917,253	1,870,415	8,387	'45	1,868,200
1916	923,113	934,807	1,857,920	(-)12,495	(-) '67	1,866,300
1917	934,252	954,877	1,889,129	31,209	1'68	1,874,400
1918	956,237	971,937	1,928,174	39,045	2'07	1,909,500
1919—31st March ..	969,579	974,606	1,944,185	...	...	...
1919—30th June ...	983,127	977,470	1,960,597	...	...	...
1919—30th September	1,000,708	983,681	1,984,389	...	...	...

\*The population includes Aborigines of full-blood, viz., 2,012, of whom 1,152 are males and 860 females.  
(-) Denotes decrease.

\*The population since 1st January, 1911, is exclusive of Federal Capital Area, the population of which at the Census on 2nd April, 1911, was 1,724, of whom 997 were males and 727 females.

## No. 2.—Births, Deaths, and Marriages.

Year.	Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
				Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births.
1908	42,525	16,090	12,642	27'51	10'41	8'18	75'79
1909	43,769	15,840	13,048	27'75	10'04	8'27	74'28
1910	45,533	16,191	14,294	28'17	10'02	8'85	74'60
1911	47,677	17,179	15,267	28'64	10'32	9'17	69'49
1912	51,993	18,886	16,664	29'90	10'86	9'58	71'30
1913	52,134	19,732	16,311	28'81	10'91	9'01	78'34
1914	53,615	18,777	17,353	28'93	10'13	9'36	69'71
1915	52,885	19,610	18,129	28'31	10'50	9'70	68'12
1916	52,075	19,854	16,320	27'90	10'64	8'74	67'84
1917	52,467	17,969	13,261	27'99	9'59	7'07	57'56
1918	50,700	18,840	13,199	26'55	9'87	6'91	59'17
1919	50,700	18,840	13,199	26'55	9'87	6'91	59'17
Jan. to Sept., 1919	36,437	21,361	10,908	25'20	14'77	7'54	69'79
" " 1918	38,275	13,986	9,940	26'73	9'77	6'94	58'71
July to Sept., 1919	12,344	8,332	3,909	25'61	17'28	8'11	72'26
" " 1918	13,308	5,490	3,157	27'88	11'50	6'61	61'39



## No. 3.—Movement of Population.

Year.	Arrivals.					Departures.				
	By Sea.		By Land.		Total.	By Sea.		By Land.		Total.
	Males.	Females	Males.	Females		Males.	Females	Males.	Females	
1908	66,156	35,433	94,885	48,685	245,159	60,474	33,047	99,282	50,745	243,548
1909	69,330	36,980	96,069	48,130	250,509	59,729	32,775	98,878	50,397	241,779
1910	72,421	39,104	108,870	54,821	275,216	62,093	34,421	109,941	56,568	263,023
1911	92,269	49,398	132,988	65,470	340,125	71,308	39,987	130,745	66,343	308,383
1912	106,187	57,601	147,629	73,980	385,397	81,722	43,288	141,032	72,236	338,278
1913	92,925	53,824	156,536	77,905	381,190	81,087	44,097	156,695	78,219	360,098
1914	91,413	51,730	167,833	89,183	400,159	98,626	47,311	172,769	86,719	405,425
1915	70,586	39,512	181,874	94,081	386,053	104,215	36,979	177,764	91,983	410,941
1916	58,913	36,198	197,954	105,076	398,141	112,469	36,652	189,561	104,175	442,857
1917	48,824	26,334	151,972	82,701	309,831	63,625	25,466	142,561	81,468	313,120
1918	46,851	20,761	172,403	98,464	338,479	49,871	18,184	162,482	100,757	331,294
Jan. to Sept., 1919	66,817	14,099	96,752	45,422	223,090	31,221	10,932	94,170	45,627	181,950
„ 1918	36,170	16,794	126,526	73,228	252,718	40,405	14,560	118,475	73,592	247,032
July to Sept., 1919	30,797	7,026	51,208	21,818	110,849	15,109	4,679	50,937	20,344	91,069
„ 1918	11,116	3,782	40,040	23,601	78,539	10,932	3,130	38,994	22,803	75,859

## No. 4.—Countries whence Immigrants arrived.

Year.	Other Australian States.		United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	Other Countries.	Total.
	By Land.	By Sea.				
1908	143,570	56,582	10,537	20,612	13,858	245,159
1909	144,199	55,285	15,057	23,040	12,928	250,509
1910	163,691	58,146	16,537	22,410	14,432	275,216
1911	198,458	71,262	24,217	27,008	19,180	340,125
1912	221,609	75,872	36,925	26,696	24,295	385,397
1913	234,441	71,490	30,318	23,284	21,657	381,190
1914	257,016	75,875	19,936	25,290	22,042	400,159
1915	275,955	65,736	7,299	18,037	19,026	386,053
1916	303,030	55,423	2,721	15,065	21,902	398,141
1917	234,673	40,095	382	10,682	23,999	309,831
1918	270,867	28,868	494	9,682	28,568	338,479
Jan. to Sept., 1919 ...	142,174	9,110	6,850	6,731	58,225	223,090
„ 1918 ...	199,754	23,118	485	8,011	21,350	252,718
July to Sept., 1919 ...	73,026	3,492	4,714	2,543	27,073	110,849
„ 1918 ...	63,641	5,099	11	2,267	7,521	78,539

## No. 5.—Countries for which Emigrants departed.

Year.	Other Australian States.		United Kingdom.	New Zealand.	Other Countries.	Total.
	By Land.	By Sea.				
1908	150,027	51,590	7,467	22,141	12,323	243,548
1909	149,275	54,756	6,766	17,812	13,170	241,779
1910	166,509	56,722	7,834	17,247	14,711	263,023
1911	197,088	66,922	8,837	18,593	16,943	308,383
1912	213,268	71,179	11,647	19,691	22,493	338,278
1913	234,914	68,923	13,002	20,767	22,492	360,098
1914	259,488	71,875	15,426	23,213	35,423	405,425
1915	269,747	58,811	6,506	17,927	57,950	410,941
1916	293,736	51,624	3,522	15,902	78,073	442,857
1917	224,029	36,587	3,628	10,204	38,672	313,120
1918	263,239	25,493	489	8,189	33,884	331,294
Jan. to Sept., 1919 ...	139,797	8,606	9,744	6,468	17,335	181,950
„ 1918 ...	192,667	20,442	471	7,046	27,006	247,032
July to Sept., 1919 ...	71,281	2,681	6,636	3,211	7,260	91,069
„ 1918 ...	61,797	3,836	...	2,034	8,192	75,859

## No. 6.—Population—Metropolis.

Year.	Estimated Population at end of Year.			Annual Increase.		Mean Population.
	Sydney (including Shipping).	Suburbs.	Total.	Numerical.	Per cent.	
1908	112,900	479,200	592,100	14,920	2'58	584,700
1909	120,660	485,240	605,900	13,800	2'33	599,000
1910	119,800	502,430	622,230	16,330	2'70	614,100
1911	118,800	538,000	656,800	34,570	5'56	639,500
1912	116,400	578,400	694,800	38,000	5'79	675,800
1913	115,900	609,500	725,400	30,600	4'40	710,100
1914	110,700	641,800	752,500	27,100	3'74	741,200
1915	104,200	658,800	763,000	10,500	1'31	757,750
1916	106,000	658,600	764,600	1,600	0'21	763,800
1917	106,000	671,300	777,300	12,700	1'66	771,000
1918	106,000	686,700	792,700	15,400	1'98	785,000

NOTE.—The population of Ku-ring-gai Shire (15,560 on 31st December, 1918) is included above as from 1st January, 1911.

## No. 7.—Vital Statistics—Metropolis.

Year.	Births.	Deaths.		Marriages.	Annual Rate per 1,000 Population.			Infantile Mortality.
		Total.	Under one year.		Births.	Deaths.	Marriages.	Deaths under one year per 1,000 Births.
1908	14,861	6,036	1,229	5,974	25'42	10'32	10'22	82'7
1909	15,461	6,149	1,261	6,367	25'81	10'27	10'62	81'6
1910	16,204	6,365	1,329	6,931	26'39	10'36	11'29	82'0
1911	17,829	6,973	1,268	7,640	27'88	10'90	11'95	71'1
1912	20,140	7,681	1,530	8,923	29'80	11'37	13'20	76'0
1913	20,535	7,938	1,608	8,892	28'92	11'18	12'52	78'3
1914	20,821	7,603	1,452	9,479	28'09	10'26	12'79	69'7
1915	20,871	8,189	1,512	10,122	27'54	10'81	13'58	72'4
1916	20,856	8,156	1,428	9,009	27'31	10'66	11'80	68'5
1917	20,278	7,518	1,212	7,009	26'30	9'75	9'09	59'8
1918	19,526	7,862	1,225	6,906	24'87	10'02	8'83	62'7
Jan.-Sept., 1919	13,938	9,763	1,080	5,754	23'44	16'42	9'68	77'5
„ 1918	14,710	5,912	919	5,141	24'98	10'04	8'73	62'5
September, 1919	1,562	774	119	857	23'65	11'72	12'97	76'2
„ 1918	1,639	854	114	540	25'05	13'05	8'25	69'6

## No. 8.—Health of the Metropolis—September, 1919.

NOTE.—In calculating the averages for previous five years, due allowance has been made for increase in population.

Particulars.			September, 1919.	Average of September, for previous five years.	Principal Causes of Death.			September, 1919.	Average of September, for previous five years.
Births	...	...	1,562	1,765	Epidemic Diseases	...	...	66	47
Deaths	...	...	774	729	Diseases of the Heart	...	...	95	86
Illegitimate Births	...	...	132	122	Pulmonary Diseases...	...	...	101	106
Deaths under 1 year...	...	...	119	107	Cancer	...	...	73	61
„ 1-4 ...	...	...	31	49	Developmental Diseases of	...	...	70	59
„ 5-64 ...	...	...	382	354	Infants.	...	...	...	...
„ 65 and over ...	...	...	242	219	Phthisis	...	...	54	30
Annual Rates per 1,000 of	...	...	...	...	Bright's Disease (Acute and	...	...	39	49
Population—	...	...	...	...	Chronic).	...	...	...	...
Births	...	...	23'65	26'72	Hæmorrhage of the Brain, &c.	...	...	36	26
Deaths	...	...	11'72	11'04	Diarrhœa and Enteritis	...	...	16	17
Illegitimate Births	...	...	2'00	1'85	Accident	...	...	28	23
Deaths under 1 per 1,000 Births	...	...	76'2	60'3	Senility	...	...	34	37

No. 9.—Principal Causes of Death—Nine Months, January to September, 1919 and 1918.

Causes of Death.	Sydney and Suburbs.				New South Wales.			
	1919.			1918.	1919.			1918.
	Males.	Females	Total.	Total.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Total.
General Diseases—								
Typhoid Fever ... ..	19	23	42	39	54	41	95	90
Measles ... ..	...	...	...	27	2	3	5	41
Scarlet Fever ... ..	1	5	6	10	7	9	16	14
Whooping-cough ... ..	14	18	32	16	48	58	106	69
Diphtheria and Croup ... ..	16	24	40	87	55	62	117	203
Influenza ... ..	97	121	218	59	301	321	622	156
Pneumonic-influenza ... ..	1,792	1,119	2,911	...	2,997	1,824	4,821	...
Influenza and Pneumonia ... ..	178	146	324	...	472	329	801	...
Dysentery ... ..	3	3	6	6	14	13	27	16
Other Epidemic Diseases ... ..	16	5	21	8	23	8	31	13
Purulent Infection, Septicæmia ... ..	6	4	10	18	18	9	27	33
Tetanus ... ..	10	1	11	10	21	4	25	32
Tuberculosis—Lungs ... ..	218	145	363	279	582	368	950	796
Other Organs ... ..	34	17	51	59	58	35	93	117
General ... ..	3	7	10	9	7	13	20	22
Syphilis ... ..	15	10	25	17	29	15	44	35
Cancer ... ..	309	302	611	627	696	576	1,272	1,229
Rheumatism ... ..	13	17	30	34	50	50	100	89
Diabetes ... ..	35	40	75	89	78	85	163	182
Exophthalmic Goitre ... ..	...	17	17	12	...	24	24	16
Anæmia, Chlorosis ... ..	32	33	65	70	66	57	123	120
Other General Diseases ... ..	25	36	61	60	81	52	133	141
Local Diseases—								
Meningitis ... ..	22	14	36	31	51	33	84	76
Cerebro-spinal Meningitis ... ..	5	4	9	25	12	9	21	67
Diseases of Spinal Cord ... ..	23	21	44	53	74	35	109	155
Hæmorrhage, &c., of Brain ... ..	128	145	273	258	344	308	652	586
General Paralysis of Insane ... ..	59	14	73	47	71	14	85	68
Convulsions of Infants ... ..	21	6	27	20	68	37	105	100
Other Nervous Diseases ... ..	53	37	90	87	132	103	235	200
Acute Endocarditis ... ..	35	30	65	44	47	54	101	86
Organic Diseases of Heart ... ..	337	367	704	672	881	721	1,602	1,614
Other Diseases Circulatory System ... ..	135	94	229	211	297	174	471	422
Bronchitis ... ..	97	135	232	177	261	288	549	448
Pneumonia, Broncho-pneumonia... ..	220	233	453	413	617	488	1,105	896
Other Diseases Respiratory System ... ..	49	41	90	81	128	87	215	209
Diseases of Stomach ... ..	11	17	28	53	51	49	100	130
Diarrhœa and Enteritis (under 2) ... ..	177	133	310	212	390	305	695	457
"    "    (over 2)... ..	47	55	102	73	152	172	324	187
Appendicitis ... ..	28	13	41	40	63	40	103	106
Hernia, Intestinal Obstruction ... ..	40	33	73	64	83	74	157	155
Cirrhosis of Liver ... ..	18	19	37	47	52	26	78	100
Other Diseases Digestive System ... ..	41	42	83	85	85	97	182	160
Nephritis ... ..	210	156	366	345	458	271	729	665
Other Diseases Urinary System ... ..	66	15	81	71	153	22	175	186
Diseases of Genital Organs ... ..	...	20	20	24	1	36	37	51
Puerperal Condition ... ..	...	95	95	99	...	197	197	197
Diseases of Skin, &c. ... ..	12	18	30	30	53	39	92	84
Diseases of Bones, &c. ... ..	7	4	11	10	15	9	24	31
Congenital Malformations ... ..	52	24	76	79	89	51	143	175
Diseases of Early Infancy... ..	267	216	483	449	708	522	1,230	1,127
Senility ... ..	128	174	302	263	611	485	1,096	861
Violence—								
Suicide ... ..	51	27	78	59	123	39	162	144
Accident ... ..	158	68	226	207	507	161	668	629
Homicide ... ..	13	5	18	12	20	9	29	20
War Casualties ... ..	3	...	3	6	7	...	7	7
Not Classed (Open Verdict) ... ..	15	4	19	5	41	7	48	38
Ill-defined Causes ... ..	16	11	27	24	91	44	135	135
Total ... ..	5,380	4,383	9,763	5,912	12,395	8,965	21,360	13,986

Approximate Mean Annual Death-rate per 1,000 of Population—

	Sydney and Suburbs.				New South Wales			
1914-1918 .. ..	..	..	10.37	..	..	..	10.16	..
1919 .. ..	..	..	16.42	..	..	..	14.77	..

## No. 10.—Trade Comparison—Oversea—Annual.

Year.	Imports.	Exports.	Year.	Imports.	Exports.
	£	£		£	£
1908	19,828,486	26,880,709	1914*	16,677,336*	15,738,313*
1909	20,888,019	26,044,789	1914-15	27,323,243	28,107,025
1910	23,238,993	32,035,451	1915-16	33,379,698	40,975,416
1911	27,343,428	32,161,401	1916-17	32,742,297	50,290,824
1912	32,303,630	32,958,529	1917-18	†28,447,579	†36,929,487
1913	32,350,663	32,839,789	1918-19	†42,509,710	†48,871,726

\*Six months—January—June.

† Exclusive of gold.

## No. 11.—Trade Comparison—Oversea Imports—Monthly.

Month.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.	1919-20.	(+) Increase (-) Decrease in 1919-20.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
July ...	2,814,485	2,871,984	†2,306,512	†2,629,437	†3,093,799	(+) 464,362
August ...	3,532,624	3,254,124	†1,240,785	†4,214,401	†2,299,764	(-) 1,914,637
September ...	2,486,149	3,054,850	†1,922,038	†4,002,031	†3,040,074	(-) 961,957
Total (three months).	8,833,258	9,180,958	†5,469,335	†10,845,869	†8,433,637	(-) 2,412,232

† Exclusive of gold.

## No. 12.—Trade Comparison—Oversea Exports—Monthly.

Month.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.	1919-20.	(+) Increase (-) Decrease in 1919-20.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
July ...	3,915,380	2,032,591	†3,238,098	†2,729,981	†3,389,725	(+) 659,744
August ...	3,296,657	3,458,771	†1,931,177	†4,366,374	†4,171,358	(-) 195,016
September ...	4,233,890	3,314,836	†1,781,441	†2,740,632	†5,287,217	(+) 2,546,585
Total (three months).	11,445,927	8,806,198	†6,950,716	†9,836,987	†12,848,300	(+) 3,011,313

† Exclusive of gold.



## No. 13.—Principal Articles Imported Oversea, Annually.

Article.		1916-17.		1917-18.		* 1918-19.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Ale and Beer—Bottled	gal.	256,332	57,037	49,785	15,026	34,793	13,597
Bulk ... ..	"	175	17	...	...	...	...
Apparel and Attire ...	...	...	981,342	...	771,004	...	964,751
Socks and Stockings ...	...	...	425,160	...	334,487	...	744,711
Bags and Sacks—							
Bran, Chaff, &c. ...	doz.	275,279	89,660	294,550	109,756	500,493	237,202
Corn and Flour ...	...	1,698,512	587,832	1,131,340	437,283	1,483,205	595,460
Woolpacks ...	No.	968,111	141,716	885,250	159,203	3,133,577	643,829
Other ...	doz.	58,626	15,057	25,060	7,910	22,940	7,186
Bags, Purses, N.E.I. ...	...	...	110,975	...	68,021	...	58,367
Blankets, and Blanketing	...	...	61,271	...	5,697	...	16,210
Books (Printed) &c. ...	...	...	205,298	...	225,623	...	286,634
Boots and Shoes ...	...	...	228,857	...	131,398	...	124,346
Bullion—							
Gold—Bar, Ingot, &c.	oz.	49,699	198,454	†	†	†	†
Silver—Bar, Ingot, &c.	"	3,539	496	494,763	95,403	309,588	77,078
Canvas and Duck ...	...	...	212,911	...	158,624	...	312,964
Carpets and Carpeting	...	...	168,422	...	177,138	...	258,800
Cement (Portland) ...	cwt.	1,957	306	14	2	2	8
Clocks and Watches ...	...	...	130,452	...	94,347	...	156,497
Cocoa and Chocolate ...	lb.	2,221,400	181,835	1,868,270	77,107	3,321,155	133,012
Confectionery, N.E.I.	"	1,015,290	51,577	167,217	11,035	9,376	778
Copper—							
Pipes and Tubes (plain)	cwt.	1,807	14,600	599	7,769	1,512	19,559
Copra ... ..	"	248,247	281,417	508,791	642,200	618,066	794,560
Cordage and Twines—							
Sewing Silks, &c. ...	...	...	292,916	...	322,841	...	372,274
Cosies, Cushions, &c. ...	...	...	41,475	...	165,910	...	233,810
Cutlery, N.E.I. ...	...	...	135,987	...	135,527	...	186,499
Drugs and Chemicals—							
Cream of Tartar ...	cwt.	8,672	51,206	14,036	181,909	14,565	267,996
Other ... ..	...	...	192,590	...	149,878	...	...
Earthenware, &c. ...	...	...	88,382	...	81,315	...	98,456
Electrical Articles—							
Cable and Wire covered	cwt.	27,974	192,222	10,965	118,402	42,514	330,217
Fancy Goods ...	...	...	153,190	...	165,274	...	211,680
Fish—Preserved in tins, &c.	lb.	8,616,430	308,588	9,803,655	457,843	4,021,272	209,958
Floor Cloths and Coverings	...	...	206,154	...	174,362	...	221,897
Fruits, Fresh—Apples	centals	44,173	55,844	17,230	20,606	7,576	472
Bananas ... ..	"	254,323	138,553	124,280	78,664	58,902	45,964
Other ... ..	...	...	17,731	...	1,722	...	435
Furniture ... ..	...	...	25,936	...	17,495	...	27,834
Gloves ... ..	...	...	97,747	...	121,602	...	166,754
Grain—Maize ... ..	centals	19,547	6,951	1,805	761	47,218	26,419
Oats ... ..	"	201	110	235	158	14,121	8431
Rice ... ..	"	232,232	129,282	473,356	266,636	125,640	123,642
Hats and Caps ...	...	...	151,111	...	125,160	...	100,464
Hessians ... ..	...	...	172,198	...	187,260	...	750,945
Instruments—							
Kinematographs, &c.	...	...	261,279	...	4,840	...	7495
Pianos ... ..	No.	4,465	130,827	5,243	165,133	3,493	150,874
Parts ... ..	...	...	31,628	...	42,496	...	65,534
Iron and Steel—							
Bar, Rod, Angle, Tee	cwt.	474,982	422,261	97,448	132,445	87,754	145,588
Girders, Beams ...	"	75,348	58,165	38,752	38,808	24,515	33,246
Pig ... ..	"	64,379	20,435	21,428	12,381	7,873	4,788
Plate and Sheet—							
Galvanised ...	"	207,625	339,427	100,352	229,343	222,464	558,404
Not galvanised ...	"	170,064	131,743	47,990	69,000	233,305	324,877
Jewellery ... ..	...	...	86,186	...	66,142	...	58,953
Precious stones, unset	...	...	164,590	...	215,235	...	218,399
Leather ... ..	...	...	213,840	...	119,563	...	171,933
Machines and Machinery—							
Agricultural ...	...	...	229,760	...	210,550	...	276,388
Electrical ... ..	...	...	410,570	...	271,775	...	519,194
Engines ... ..	...	...	116,504	...	78,429	...	104,894
Mining ... ..	...	...	23,234	...	29,810	...	42,148
Motive Power ...	...	...	96,914	...	83,808	...	98,957

\* Preliminary figures, subject to revision.

† Information not published.

No. 13.—Principal Articles Imported Oversea, Annually—*continued.*

Article.	1916-17.		1917-18.		1918-19.*	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
<b>Machines and Machinery—</b>		£		£		£
Sewing ... ..	...	109,004	...	107,765	...	181,799
Other ... ..	...	883,010	...	670,918	...	935,799
Matches ... ..	...	40,745	...	83,366	...	185,328
Medicines ... ..	...	251,954	...	272,510	...	163,661
<b>Metals, Manufactures—</b>						
Pipes and Tubes ... ..	...	299,080	...	196,690	...	279,922
Wire ... ..	...	173,831	...	241,678	...	205,542
Wire Netting ... ..	...	2,896	...	483	...	7,079
Miscellaneous ... ..	...	979,111	...	775,726	...	1,330,804
<b>Oils in Bulk—</b>						
Benzine ... .. gal.	5,168,196	388,026	5,194,734	395,466	10,986,649	592,517
Benzoline, &c. ... ..	1,516,901	110,694	1,494,129	119,897	...	...
Kerosene ... ..	6,050,952	166,569	5,933,947	160,683	4,732,432	212,489
Lubricating Mineral ... ..	2,633,720	158,955	2,772,229	236,935	3,716,947	441,143
Paints & Colours prep'd for use cwt.	15,460	42,876	5,407	17,777	6,532	28,423
Paper—Printing ... ..	...	728,682	...	477,082	...	661,817
Writing ... ..	...	207,358	...	155,299	...	274,386
<b>Piece Goods—</b>						
Cotton, Linen ... ..	...	2,534,328	...	2,715,357	...	4,992,805
Flannels ... ..	...	67,704	...	7,801	...	4,062
Horsehair Cloth ... ..	...	17,539	...	15,705	...	51,326
Rubbered Waterproof ... ..	...	12,794	...	21,854	...	56,871
Silk ... ..	...	704,941	...	1,045,885	...	1,356,432
Velvets, Velveteens ... ..	...	313,289	...	402,720	...	428,368
Woollens ... ..	...	1,296,101	...	853,014	...	995,879
N.E.I. ... ..	...	195,858	...	118,001	...	318,718
Other ... ..	...	103,257	...	123,191	...	153,204
Rails, Fish Plates, &c. ... ..	...	11,123	...	1,044	...	697
Rubber Manufactures ... ..	...	493,006	...	438,725	...	129,221
<b>Specie—Bronze</b> ... ..	...	207	...	60	...	...
Gold ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver ... ..	...	26,910	...	46,422	...	20,560
<b>Spirits—Brandy, bottled</b> gal.	25,725	26,151	7,408	10,119	2,936	5,555
„ bulk ... ..	138,826	78,624	28,840	20,087	10,936	16,274
Gin—British ... ..	59,448	23,379	16,706	11,388	8,013	10,471
Hollands, Geneva ... ..	30,188	9,454	5,984	3,186	1,964	1,724
Schnapps ... ..	68,673	26,649	21,532	9,227	9,562	10,639
Rum—Bottled ... ..	1,241	1,299	...	...	92	107
„ Bulk ... ..	27,982	10,097	28,987	13,040	12,283	9,801
Whisky—Bottled ... ..	25,176	21,062	18,213	14,640	38,326	12,386
„ Bulk ... ..	916,877	613,021	564,966	464,886	474,573	551,190
Stationery ... ..	...	180,883	...	141,633	...	204,028
Sugar—Cane ... .. cwt.	1,031,892	975,286	224,719	207,014	186,435	183,161
Tea ... .. lb.	19,373,545	859,117	18,364,306	797,177	12,252,564	1,021,254
<b>Timber—</b>						
Dressed N.E.I. ... sup. ft.	770,865	13,605	118,780	2,064	80,386	1,402
Logs not sawn ... ..	598,289	4,789	264,911	1,987	1,494,962	16,427
N.Z. White Pine ... ..	42,044,303	276,912	33,714,917	260,844	29,240,368	288,285
Undressed N.E.I. ... ..	73,527,824	600,641	59,915,099	551,319	50,658,453	757,555
<b>Tobacco—</b>						
Manufactured N.E.I. lb.	1,330,271	99,676	798,919	65,216	877,226	110,355
Unmanufactured ... ..	7,808,105	454,119	3,605,843	281,606	2,574,845	256,419
Cigars ... ..	82,128	49,028	86,299	48,728	62,573	53,580
Cigarettes ... ..	81,268	30,523	53,417	22,459	32,308	18,698
Tools of Trade, not being machines	...	241,304	...	187,951	...	406,841
Trimmings and Ornaments ... ..	...	167,372	...	178,918	...	355,292
<b>Vehicles—</b>						
Bicycles, &c., and parts ... ..	...	126,466	...	114,886	...	150,132
Motor Car Bodies ... ..	...	111,104	...	116,872	...	55,463
„ Chassis ... ..	...	425,430	...	435,808	...	581,783
Other Vehicles and parts ... ..	...	206,182	...	154,280	...	187,324
<b>Wines—Sparkling</b> ... gal.	9,753	20,807	5,108	11,598	5,378	8,881
Still, bottled ... ..	19,397	14,705	16,354	12,512	9,744	13,084
Still, bulk ... ..	7,614	2,580	3,823	1,858	3,197	1,416
Yarns ... ..	...	326,265	...	192,964	...	312,537
All other Articles ... ..	...	7,073,235	...	6,342,112	...	11,288,306
<b>Total</b> ... .. £	...	32,742,297	...	28,447,579†	...	42,509,710‡

\* Preliminary figures subject to revision.

† Exclusive of gold.

‡ Information not published.

## No. 14.—Principal Articles Exported Oversea, Annually.

Article.	1916-17.		1917-18.		1918-19.*	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£
Ale and Beer—Bottled ... gal.	143,357	24,729	193,814	34,081	184,296	48,233
Bulk ... ..	111,105	10,110	25,339	2,106	19,756	2,139
Ammonia, Sulphate ... cwt	68,808	73,203	84,050	156,101	128,373	231,430
Animals Living—						
Cattle, ordinary ... No.	128	2,759	107	1,975	606	4,394
Horses, ordinary ... ..	3,310	75,944	3,840	102,254	3,783	83,101
Sheep, ordinary ... ..	1,441	3,000	1,652	3,419	1,399	3,540
Sheep, breeding ... ..	277	5,477	522	6,177	1,452	11,203
Apparel and Attire ... ..	...	101,498	...	180,608	...	335,940
Biscuits ... .. lb.	3,227,998	49,504	18,751,712	296,972	10,677,690	257,647
Boats, Launches ... ..	...	4,357	...	7,942	...	9,517
Bones ... .. cwt.	9,881	8,416	7,160	9,651	13,066	14,277
Books—printed ... ..	...	35,306	...	22,136	...	28,299
Boots and Shoes—Leather ...	...	37,253	...	73,054	...	163,383
Bullion—						
Gold—Bar, Ingot, etc. oz.	374	1,479	†	†	†	†
In Matte ... ..	32,024	126,607	†	†	†	†
Silver—Bar, Ingot, etc. ..	358,992	54,410	2,342,119	444,983	6,182,044	1,262,230
In Matte ... ..	2,178,451	313,990	903,095	162,488	...	...
Butter ... .. lb.	24,493,395	1,707,616	25,238,466	1,706,396	7,645,993	631,018
Cheese ... ..	1,847,267	72,483	1,553,075	66,974	387,219	27,791
Coal ... .. ton	646,547	415,549	355,955	259,588	528,060	387,379
Coke ... ..	34,709	52,238	37,299	54,663	34,111	50,486
Concentrates—						
Silver, Silver Lead ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tin ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...
Zinc ... ..	100,469	33,017	62,445	21,827	155,640	57,798
Other ... ..	656	8,456	1,504	15,371	1,338	12,149
Confectionery ... .. lb.	281,897	15,788	651,825	35,129	905,942	61,983
Copper—Ingots ... .. cwt.	676,181	4,072,056	493,632	2,836,295	296,260	2,092,752
In Matte ... ..	14,494	65,364	...	...	...	...
Drugs and Chemicals, n.e.i. —	...	32,689	...	38,510	...	86,854
Fruits, Dried—						
Currants ... .. lb.	2,520,065	60,908	1,739,743	48,259	372,324	10,925
Raisins ... ..	485,551	14,384	424,739	12,051	296,755	6,341
Fruits, Fresh—						
Apples ... .. centals	7,414	7,245	2,601	3,428	2,886	3,601
Citrus ... ..	24,293	23,489	23,775	21,380	23,406	29,160
Furniture ... ..	...	10,757	...	10,587	...	11,798
Glue Pieces, Sinews ... cwt.	17,636	12,987	7,522	9,852	2,775	4,908
Glycerine, unrefined ... lb.	423,427	12,976	697,479	21,841	807,912	30,518
Grain—						
Maize ... .. centals	25,223	10,849	55,827	22,116	43,648	19,482
Oats ... ..	36,694	14,988	9,021	4,211	6,613	6,020
Wheat ... ..	10,960,345	4,612,327	3,449,644	1,423,046	6,905,445	3,015,028
Bran, Pollard, Sharps... ..	123,020	40,745	109,213	38,854	101,661	37,628
Flour (Wheaten) ... ..	1,931,994	1,189,396	2,327,235	1,542,833	3,006,383	1,853,954
Hair—Other ... .. lb.	324,441	13,560	232,588	14,337	236,034	17,024
Hats, Caps, Bonnets ... ..	...	12,762	...	25,397	...	34,450
Hay and Chaff ... .. cwt.	2,859	774	2,203	731	4,820	1,570
Hoofs ... ..	3,026	2,212	2,696	2,610	4,383	5,465
Horns ... ..	...	2,826	...	11,815	...	17,920
Jams and Jellies... .. lb.	13,000,812	280,951	14,570,478	278,333	22,233,125	533,262
Jewellery ... ..	...	4,494	...	1,365	...	16,214
Precious Stones, unset ...	...	7,141	...	8,349	...	31,834
Lard ... .. lb.	561,659	17,735	718,712	27,022	2,467,332	87,955
Lead—In Matte ... .. cwt	529,580	614,072	297,420	372,718	...	...
Pig ... ..	1,604,677	2,385,305	1,681,966	2,500,364	1,825,906	2,546,463
Sheet and Piping ... ..	12,714	22,006	17,624	32,083	20,170	38,350
Leather ... ..	...	623,220	...	489,876	...	1,159,536
Leather Manufactures, n.e.i.—	...	12,554	...	18,417	...	13,738
Manures—Bonedust ... cwt.	35,507	12,295	17,049	7,145	38,262	19,259
Superphosphates ... ..	171,557	37,719	245,554	58,888	128,573	35,470

\* Preliminary figures subject to revision.

† Information not published.

No. 14.—Principal Articles Exported Oversea, Annually—*continued.*

Article.	1916-17.		1917-18.		1918-19.*	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
		£		£		£
Meats—Bacon and Hams lb.	234,076	9,954	2,559,406	160,205	3,834,179	248,816
Preserved by cold process—						
Beef ... .. lb.	10,453,222	227,147	4,084,003	95,689	2,392,695	58,863
Mutton ... .. car.	{ 430,780 }	494,300	{ 134,957 }	172,871	{ 318,851 }	359,796
lb.	{ 22,088,432 }		{ 7,497,484 }		{ 16,323,705 }	
Lamb ... .. car.	{ 210,022 }	207,111	{ 31,428 }	34,286	{ 85,861 }	79,125
lb.	{ 7,939,660 }		{ 1,230,337 }		{ 3,056,012 }	
Rabbits and Hares... prs.	10,718,922	760,331	8,978,377	670,269	3,956,919	221,632
Potted, Concentrated... —	...	62,744	...	134,336	...	223,946
Preserved in tins, &c.... lb.	8,365,107	386,097	22,025,688	1,254,661	34,733,340	2,041,430
Medicines... .. —	...	58,348	...	77,501	...	92,175
Metals—Antimony and						
Compounds ... .. —	...	18,489	...	2,524	...	1,887
Metal Manufactures ... —	...	175,957	...	171,539	...	526,438
Oils—Cocoonut ... .. cwt.	29,505	79,852	45,331	127,332	46,089	136,087
Onions ... .. "	63,035	25,654	30,807	16,845	28,734	19,770
Ores—Copper ... .. "	...	...	1,004	622	...	...
Gold Ore, &c. ... .. "	...	...	...	...	...	...
Molybdenite ... .. "	3,525	80,680	3,341	72,523	3,792	81,391
Silver and Silver-Lead "	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tin ... .. "	24,665	147,165	1,013	7,359	...	...
Wolfram ... .. "	19,651	181,048	18,419	161,400	17,017	149,674
Other ... .. "	24,618	37,466	10,345	59,873	16,216	62,207
Potatoes ... .. "	52,583	21,762	39,241	15,259	41,769	22,331
Rubber Manufactures ... —	...	65,314	...	77,665	...	62,861
Sausage Casings ... .. —	...	62,393	...	36,437	...	130,984
Seeds ... .. —	...	26,497	...	39,769	...	34,098
Skins and Hides—						
Cattle ... .. No.	60,436	110,044	73,373	173,567	237,579	310,417
Horse ... .. "	175	166	16	20	540	459
Rabbit and Hare ... lb.	4,721,480	392,453	6,993,612	1,037,144	10,111,221	1,103,940
Sheep with Wool ... No.	700,620	208,075	566,051	166,769	1,375,165	430,299
Sheep without Wool... "	1,509,432	109,817	475,574	43,282	486,607	61,780
Other ... .. "	...	288,771	...	487,704	...	312,062
Soap—Toilet, Fancy ... lb.	152,354	9,964	217,594	17,270	284,011	27,353
Other ... .. "	2,624,394	51,844	3,804,034	84,331	3,935,931	84,124
Specie—Bronze ... .. —	...	16	...	65	...	25
Gold ... .. "	...	10,978,084	...	†	...	†
Silver ... .. "	...	33,797	...	119,318	...	71,701
Stationery ... .. —	...	17,502	...	21,067	...	33,573
Sugar—Cane ... .. cwt.	21,708	24,203	41,252	45,653	40,282	51,692
Tallow, unrefined ... .. "	225,522	498,124	170,795	409,845	388,889	880,914
Timber—Dressed ... .. s. ft.	252,901	3,421	220,273	3,285	201,039	3,659
Undressed ... .. "	11,776,202	134,654	11,381,023	170,839	8,931,774	140,728
Logs, not sawn ... .. "	99,509	877	245,860	1,995	177,898	1,115
Tin Ingots... .. cwt.	47,368	448,158	68,222	997,724	61,075	942,601
Tobacco—Manufactured lb.	993,866	82,058	1,171,527	115,799	857,342	102,279
Cigarettes ... .. "	60,992	18,724	87,351	30,252	162,553	49,359
Wines—Sparkling ... gal.	2,489	4,791	3,861	6,739	6,497	14,769
Still, bottled ... .. "	29,179	16,997	62,161	34,718	74,107	54,495
Still, bulk ... .. "	119,559	23,729	80,051	18,630	218,149	53,960
Wood, Articles—Casks, Shooks	...	5,016	...	1,090	...	1,931
Other ... .. —	...	9,991	...	11,051	...	22,847
Wool—Greasy ... .. { bale { 480,416 }	{ 157,806,810 }	10,408,056	{ 345,237 }	{ 7,769,366 }	{ 715,429 }	13,432,246
lb.						
Scoured and Washed { bale { 98,450 }	{ 23,969,500 }	2,191,868	{ 142,340 }	{ 3,120,835 }	{ 201,732,162 }	4,387,148
lb.						
Tops ... .. lb.	4,869,452	1,204,570	4,571,357	1,510,799	5,646	918,659
All other Articles ... .. —	...	2,422,770	...	4,494,457	...	5,352,364
Total ... .. £	...	50,290,824	...	36,929,487†	...	48,871,726†



No. 15.—Imports Oversea during September, and during the three months,  
July to September, 1919 and 1918.

Article.	September.				July to September.			
	1919.		1918.		1919.		1918.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Ale, Beer—Bottled... gal.	2,352	£ 845	1,595	£ 577	5,007	£ 1,830	7,853	£ 2,787
Bulk ... "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Apparel and Attire... "	...	53,936	...	73,411	...	126,121	...	211,187
Socks and Stockings ... "	...	56,496	...	43,300	...	166,357	...	121,790
Bags and Sacks—Bran, Chaff, &c. doz.	39,900	23,125	71,900	34,029	84,350	47,055	164,900	86,255
Corn and Flour ... "	29,200	21,611	534,980	258,300	29,200	21,611	536,230	258,987
Woolpacks ... "	19,001	56,205	61,823	154,271	37,388	110,360	125,167	251,409
Other ... "	669	134	2,583	1,249	1,869	790	10,983	2,930
Bags, Purses, n.e.i. ... "	...	4,777	...	6,897	...	14,121	...	14,518
Blankets and Blanketing ... "	...	46	...	167	...	977	...	3,394
Books (printed), &c. ... "	...	23,305	...	24,133	...	68,455	...	62,916
Boots and Shoes ... "	...	19,172	...	6,361	...	84,295	...	26,552
Bullion—Gold—Bar, ingot, &c. oz.	...	*	...	*	...	*	...	*
Silver ... "	1,531	268	39	8	1,564	277	67,244	15,333
Canvas and Duck ... "	...	22,984	...	23,254	...	72,855	...	79,246
Carpets and Carpeting ... "	...	6,584	...	17,106	...	23,560	...	58,020
Cement (Portland) ... cwt.	...	...	...	...	12	9	...	...
Clocks and Watches ... "	...	6,521	...	10,619	...	37,603	...	29,826
Cocoa and Chocolate ... lb.	274,717	19,429	295,343	11,562	726,203	46,499	1,212,254	41,695
Confectionery, n.e.i. ... "	230	31	232	36	925	133	1,079	137
Copper, Pipes and Tubes (plain) cwt.	785	7,541	60	788	1,384	12,494	320	4,397
Copra ... "	82,676	149,524	69,467	84,677	100,441	178,682	189,875	240,418
Cordage & Twines—Sewing Silks, &c. ... "	...	23,115	...	36,337	...	77,581	...	108,941
Counterpanes, Table Covers, ... "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cosies, Cushions, &c. ... "	...	7,092	...	22,090	...	21,023	...	76,192
Cutlery, n.e.i. ... "	...	12,617	...	13,003	...	37,218	...	41,572
Drugs and Chemicals—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Cream of Tartar ... cwt.	203	4,458	2,517	44,813	263	6,352	6,127	104,064
Earthenware, &c. ... "	...	7,299	...	6,376	...	19,350	...	27,489
Electrical Articles—Cable ... "	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
and Wire, covered ... cwt.	3,672	26,172	1,644	16,080	8,088	68,998	4,337	54,823
Fancy Goods ... "	...	...	...	17,033	...	19,879	...	67,188
Fish—Preserved in tins, &c. lb.	59,928	3,058	415,914	20,341	666,773	34,910	699,573	36,606
Floor Cloths and Coverings ... "	...	3,584	...	11,497	...	21,939	...	27,839
Fruits, fresh—Apples ... entl.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bananas ... "	18	13	4,001	2,823	24	24	19,127	13,469
Other ... "	...	...	...	2	...	14	...	10
Furniture ... "	...	1,946	...	1,700	...	7,802	...	4,901
Gloves ... "	...	11,389	...	14,008	...	25,497	...	34,608
Grain—Maize ... entl.	46,067	26,248	660	906	152,348	82,102	1,519	1,303
Oats ... "	15,789	10,318	...	...	15,914	10,413	...	...
Rice ... "	914	2,300	520	484	29,476	42,633	45,133	26,730
Hats and Caps ... "	...	8,017	...	12,910	...	28,612	...	37,989
Hessians ... "	...	11,247	...	55,759	...	34,142	...	120,235
Instruments—Kinematographs, &c. ... "	...	35	...	2,168	...	885	...	2,220
Pianos ... No.	192	10,452	266	11,420	722	34,611	649	22,882
Parts ... "	...	2,401	...	4,281	...	12,802	...	15,856
Iron and Steel—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Bar, Rod, Angle, Tee ... cwt.	14,444	17,607	5,599	8,195	87,810	93,628	12,788	18,663
Girders, Beams, &c. ... "	...	4,468	...	2,832	14,303	14,981	8,468	9,982
Pig ... "	...	9,000	...	...	13,709	6,425	...	...
Plate and Sheet—Galvanised ... "	58,149	104,994	17,161	67,113	142,345	271,852	25,825	90,358
Not galvanised ... "	64,126	65,545	11,799	13,870	130,372	140,688	23,680	36,087
Jewellery ... "	...	3,404	...	4,866	...	12,564	...	11,181
Precious Stones, unset ... "	...	17,318	...	28,424	...	53,927	...	93,136
Leather ... "	...	3,739	...	3,889	...	41,463	...	16,008
Machines and Machinery—	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Agricultural ... "	...	14,103	...	14,834	...	68,020	...	26,702
Electrical ... "	...	38,263	...	39,172	...	175,291	...	107,583
Engines ... "	...	7,065	...	511	...	48,306	...	8,246
Mining ... "	...	2,279	...	278	...	10,054	...	7,236
Motive Power ... "	...	27,104	...	2,938	...	61,117	...	19,302
Sewing ... "	...	15,277	...	5,905	...	45,051	...	35,552
Other ... "	...	102,632	...	59,306	...	288,760	...	208,784

\* Information not published.

No. 15.—Imports Oversea during September, and during the three months,  
July to September, 1919 and 1918.—*continued.*

Article.	September.				July to September.			
	1919.		1918.		1919.		1918.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Matches ... gross boxes	31,894	£ 12,318	88,385	£ 14,428	45,367	19,934	547,415	94,837
Medicines ...	...	9,738	...	12,549	...	39,167	...	48,214
Metals, Manufactures—Pipes and Tubes ...	...	50,698	...	8,370	...	159,602	...	12,532
Wire ...	...	22,510	...	15,898	...	123,616	...	39,177
Wire Netting ...	...	397	...	199	...	2,586	...	663
Miscellaneous ...	...	101,930	...	77,166	...	296,841	...	307,166
Oils in Bulk—								
Petroleum ... gal.	1,119,453	95,068	798,000	59,245	1,599,033	135,994	5,575,552	136,207
Kerosene ...	577,286	28,106	...	...	1,266,048	54,844	885,212	27,416
Lubricating (Mineral) ...	103,677	10,936	347,630	28,725	553,897	54,307	1,259,400	142,523
Paints and Colours (prepared) ... cwt.	1,420	4,994	525	2,300	2,402	9,764	649	2,691
Paper—Printing ...	...	29,819	...	77,350	...	85,610	...	167,773
Writing ...	...	17,825	...	22,000	...	50,207	...	51,302
Piece Goods—Cotton	...	161,894	...	524,762	...	487,430	...	1,488,618
Linen ...	...	5,385	...	18,373	...	13,823	...	56,377
Flannels ...	...	40	...	108	...	40	...	628
Horsehair Cloth ...	...	572	...	3,390	...	4,861	...	7,320
Rubbered Waterproof ...	...	300	...	1,411	...	5,192	...	5,179
Silk ...	...	68,167	...	105,800	...	222,320	...	389,580
Velvets, Velvetene ...	...	14,144	...	53,652	...	45,436	...	119,313
Woolens ...	...	58,212	...	98,118	...	166,681	...	246,235
N.E.I. ...	...	3,298	...	14,002	...	10,290	...	60,466
Other ...	...	9,004	...	7,514	...	24,644	...	35,433
Rails, Fishplates, &c. ...	...	340	...	...	...	818	...	9
Rubber Manufactures	...	6,709	...	6,380	...	19,544	...	18,051
Specie—Bronze ...	...	*	...	*	...	*	...	*
Gold ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Silver ...	...	4	...	...	...	13	...	...
Spirits—Brandy, Bottled ... gal.	...	...	1,116	1,789	1	3	2,618	4,828
Brandy, Bulk ...	...	...	...	...	4,628	6,003	3,426	4,396
Gin—British ...	1,999	2,000	1,300	1,651	2,699	2,807	2,213	2,457
Hollands, Geneva	...	...	655	754	...	1	655	754
Schnapps ...	2,300	3,350	...	...	4,300	6,032	2	1
Rum, Bottled ...	...	...	14	7	...	...	14	7
Rum, Bulk ...	...	...	...	...	2,097	2,270	...	...
Whisky, Bottled ...	1,190	1,400	1,102	1,129	2,924	4,071	8,079	8,742
Whisky, Bulk ...	1,414	1,876	12,744	9,406	9,041	10,765	90,214	102,649
Stationery ...	...	...	...	12,726	...	37,917	...	47,172
Sugar—Cane ... cwt.	46	9	22,355	20,893	30,021	29,988	41,105	38,956
Tea ... lb.	2,097,330	88,655	6,973,121	327,655	6,492,680	299,303	2,652,782	618,120
Timber—Dressed, n.e.i. sup. ft.	520	58	...	...	11,028	244	211	8
Logs, not sawn ...	32,085	867	...	...	33,542	1,094	8,548	368
N.Z. White Pine ...	2,947,255	32,633	2,775,472	23,402	5,755,779	63,904	7,472,370	61,346
Undressed, n.e.i. ...	2,488,912	51,370	3,114,701	29,225	8,440,581	143,647	17,668,222	253,375
Tobacco—Manufactured, n.e.i. lb.	26,262	2,690	43,741	5,277	42,055	4,912	187,187	22,001
Unmanufactured ...	2,562	346	23,789	2,278	572,948	81,003	55,081	5,323
Cigars ...	1,047	584	6,482	5,268	5,874	4,702	12,104	8,571
Cigarettes ...	2,409	1,628	2,228	1,105	7,275	4,343	8,930	5,245
Tools of Trade ...	...	30,201	...	25,912	...	104,737	...	76,576
Trimmings and Ornaments	...	15,890	...	30,931	...	50,513	...	74,703
Vehicles, Bicycles, &c., and parts	...	14,878	...	9,040	...	28,810	...	23,984
Motor Car Bodies ...	...	5,533	...	4,171	...	11,998	...	16,821
Motor Car Chassis ...	...	62,431	...	67,527	...	236,149	...	169,145
Other Vehicles and parts	...	28,390	...	11,481	...	67,549	...	35,220
Wines—Sparkling ... gal.	863	2,497	2,857	5,387	3,311	9,316	3,176	6,235
Still, bottled ...	242	305	2,636	2,458	2,220	2,472	3,245	2,926
Still, bulk ...	...	...	...	...	679	436	617	179
Yarns ...	...	1,468	...	13,923	...	34,553	...	58,531
All other Articles	...	905,020	...	939,958	...	2,217,533	...	2,713,986
Total ... £	...	£ 3,040,674	...	£ 4,002,031	...	£ 8,433,637	...	£ 10,845,869

\* Information not published.

† Exclusive of Gold.

No. 16.—Exports Oversea during September, and during the three months,  
July to September, 1919 and 1918.

Article		September.				July to September.			
		1919.		1918.		1919.		1918.	
		Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Ale, Beer—Bottled...	gal.	43,133	13,950	8,579	1,589	88,895	27,593	40,670	8,328
Bulk ...	"	1,891	143	8,288	1,002	3,673	300	13,158	1,522
Ammonia—Sulphate	cwt.	9,041	10,361	2,058	3,963	23,446	28,458	26,065	54,541
Animals, Living—									
Cattle, Ordinary ...	No.	7	90	60	405	61	472	126	937
Horses, Ordinary...	"	82	2,520	20	497	135	4,213	48	1,455
Sheep, Ordinary ...	"	156	285	206	532	277	535	322	862
Sheep, Breeding ...	"	39	1,056	...	...	89	3,726	500	4,461
Apparel and Attire ...	—	...	14,178	...	9,079	...	25,217	...	44,476
Biscuits ...	lb.	373,428	9,862	2,810,166	57,043	1,247,301	27,369	4,645,134	97,393
Boats, Launches, &c.	—	...	1,215	...	883	...	1,904	...	1,995
Bones ...	cwt.	113	118	2,063	2,040	1,980	1,747	5,725	6,627
Books (Printed) ...	—	...	5,942	...	1,657	...	6,215	...	5,370
Boots, Shoes—Leather	—	...	17,976	...	16,106	...	43,032	...	39,131
Bullion—									
Gold—Bar, Ingot, &c.	oz.	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
In Matte ...	"	*	*	*	*	*	*	*	*
Silver—Bar, Ingot, &c.	"	41,128	9,617	932,502	181,232	450,798	103,289	2,250,059	453,166
In Matte ...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Butter ...	lb.	329,705	27,097	79,214	6,479	1,661,825	131,673	252,743	20,031
Cheese ...	"	44,406	3,029	15,587	1,394	103,425	7,847	58,355	4,826
Coal ...	ton	117,944	95,868	43,477	32,260	254,638	215,103	107,101	78,406
Coke ...	"	4,352	6,534	4,046	4,920	5,647	8,490	8,171	10,896
Concentrates—									
Silver, Silver-Lead	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tin ...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Zinc ...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Other ...	"	217	3,000	52	585	217	3,000	306	4,268
Confectionery ...	lb.	42,950	5,296	69,659	4,758	194,449	14,907	133,956	9,558
Copper—Ingots ...	cwt.	50,001	227,328	10,670	58,874	106,146	468,950	89,300	487,865
In Matte ...	"	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Drugs, Chemicals—other	—	...	7,160	...	14,594	...	10,239	...	30,728
Fruits, Dried—Currants	lb.	1,988	65	34,220	1,080	3,576	116	92,290	2,692
Raisins ...	"	624	24	14,689	487	2,242	85	71,037	2,205
Fruits, Fresh—Apples	entl.	282	440	834	790	507	838	1,531	1,531
Citrus ...	"	2,899	4,880	4,129	4,842	3,674	6,246	12,196	13,162
Furniture ...	—	...	1,324	...	730	...	2,398	...	4,333
Glue Pieces, Sinews	cwt.	17	20	55	181	82	147	371	793
Glycerine, unrefined	lb.	37,155	1,014	47,040	3,675	70,274	1,452	105,280	5,125
Grain—									
Maize ...	entl.	33	25	3,160	1,769	476	325	33,894	14,403
Oats ...	"	141	105	2,863	1,906	349	266	3,266	3,867
Wheat ...	"	742,608	306,961	207,886	97,454	1,580,799	659,659	537,508	241,686
Bran, Pollard, Sharps	"	11,487	4,962	7,798	2,919	27,098	11,906	21,800	8,307
Flour (Wheaten)...	"	275,938	212,202	176,291	3,391	850,590	589,513	686,170	332,944
Hair ...	lb.	16,064	1,330	12,321	215	72,590	5,181	28,617	1,414
Hats, Caps and Bonnets	—	...	6,739	...	4,034	...	11,662	...	11,802
Hay and Chaff ...	cwt.	108	67	143	56	468	202	455	181
Hoofs ...	"	40	43	683	1,147	656	643	1,607	2,163
Horns ...	—	...	332	...	...	...	864	...	707
Jams and Jellies ...	lb.	716,458	18,902	2,092,986	40,250	2,633,090	68,107	2,993,322	60,470
Jewellery ...	—	...	1,298	...	1,041	...	2,296	...	3,406
Cameos, Precious Stones, unset	—	...	3,447	...	102	...	5,419	...	3,530
Lard ...	lb.	549,268	27,578	353,286	12,284	1,226,883	58,611	700,295	27,580
Lead—In Matte ...	cwt.	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Pig ...	"	157,340	191,621	142,576	210,303	414,870	509,848	359,195	522,577
Sheet and Piping ...	"	2,005	3,751	1,859	3,534	3,104	5,640	6,052	11,211
Leather ...	—	...	162,169	...	16,499	...	395,515	...	46,739
Leather Manufactures, n.e.i.	—	...	1,619	...	1,193	...	1,982	...	4,168
Manures—									
Bonedust ...	cwt.	14,180	7,100	4,000	2,050	16,980	8,500	4,042	2,069
Superphosphates ...	"	1,019	406	2,010	502	7,821	2,001	20,210	5,062

\* Information not published.

No. 16.—Exports Oversea during September, and during the three months,  
July to September, 1919 and 1918—continued.

Article.	September.				July to September.			
	1919.		1918.		1919.		1918.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
Meats—Bacon and Hams ... lb.	112,596	8,180	547,363	28,982	406,053	27,794	1,857,135	114,257
Preserved by cold process—								
Beef ... ..	186,392	5,215	470	15	539,253	15,214	961,327	20,458
Mutton .. ...	81,954	89,080	110	145	135,973	147,497	1,080	4,176
... lb.	4,022,200		5,800		6,620,342		153,631	
Lamb ... ..	19,921	17,974	...	...	24,598	22,669	427	479
... lb.	676,638		...		834,991		15,332	
Rabbits and Hares ... prs.	151,085	9,192	1,571	144	156,589	9,671	4,292	359
Potted, Concentrated ...	...	18,138	...	3,614	...	45,758	...	69,952
Preserved in tins, &c. ... lb.	4,282,673	281,813	2,271,995	121,902	10,140,605	664,977	11,180,086	632,115
Medicines ... ..	...	20,167	...	5,886	...	31,418	...	23,138
Metals—								
Antimony and Compounds—	...	85	...	201	...	106	...	1,223
Metal Manufactures ...	...	38,359	...	21,705	...	164,367	...	85,594
Oils in bulk—Cocanut ... cwt.	15,532	49,884	4,166	12,735	25,908	81,452	22,631	69,669
Onions ... ..	4,739	3,428	903	1,036	6,260	4,858	8,794	7,933
Ores—								
Copper ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Gold—Quartz, Concentrates,,	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Molybdenite ... ..	286	6,177	...	...	773	16,463	501	10,559
Silver and Silver-Lead ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tin ... ..	...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Wolfram ... ..	1,249	11,244	...	...	3,259	28,855	3,872	33,487
Other ... ..	9,979	12,715	102	16	10,349	20,068	1,523	11,460
Potatoes ... ..	2,536	2,193	3,303	1,290	6,503	5,628	11,451	4,669
Rubber Manufactures, n.e.i. —	...	12,116	...	14,098	...	19,463	...	27,623
Sausage Casings ... ..	...	11,897	...	4,256	...	23,596	...	11,115
Seed ... ..	...	2,976	...	1,040	...	13,950	...	4,938
Skins and Hides—								
Cattle ... ..	30,868	84,534	11,012	28,073	91,822	226,901	35,600	82,705
Horse ... ..	...	...	...	...	501	678	...	...
Rabbit and Hare ... lb.	1,386,564	367,704	276,409	43,276	3,540,826	798,507	1,390,712	196,234
Sheep, with Wool ... No.	139,549	57,188	27,084	3,000	412,353	146,107	104,609	30,876
Sheep, without Wool ...	75,408	11,366	...	...	148,458	18,653	14,765	2,910
Other ... ..	...	307,991	...	...	...	807,380	...	...
Soap—Toilet, Fancy, &c. ... lb.	17,702	1,608	55,691	4,495	34,588	3,472	120,221	10,785
Other ... ..	255,011	4,224	256,801	5,851	623,699	12,483	1,003,382	23,196
Specie—Bronze ... ..	...	200	...	...	...	210	...	...
Gold ... ..	...	*	...	*	...	*	...	*
Silver ... ..	...	9,000	...	...	...	18,175	...	783
Stationery and Inks ...	...	5,399	...	3,699	...	7,942	...	9,818
Sugar—Cane ... ..	705	968	4,287	5,103	6,501	8,098	12,983	14,750
Tallow, unrefined ...	11,441	50,842	15,763	36,754	46,366	168,041	72,550	168,029
Timber—Dressed ... s. ft.	14,080	320	17,873	398	73,824	1,853	54,320	1,063
Undressed ... ..	519,871	8,431	915,811	13,068	1,618,928	27,593	2,610,060	40,199
Logs, not sawn, and spars ...	...	...	...	...	35,456	746	10,730	168
Tin Ingots ... ..	8,041	96,595	5,225	102,750	13,541	162,285	17,820	351,827
Tobacco—Manufactured ... lb.	165,302	21,961	39,785	4,977	381,746	52,017	220,609	26,089
Cigarettes ... ..	11,368	3,866	39,770	13,355	23,155	7,760	69,435	21,934
Wines—Sparkling ... gal.	918	1,924	1,102	1,975	1,444	3,088	1,824	3,797
Still, in bottle ... ..	7,228	5,060	7,337	5,022	12,796	9,791	17,012	11,532
Still, in bulk ... ..	10,657	3,511	14,997	4,584	36,837	10,385	23,067	7,266
Wood Articles—Casks, Shooks—	...	...	...	76	...	258	...	435
Other ... ..	...	2,075	...	1,933	...	4,248	...	7,573
Wool—Greasy ... { bale	46,727	1,032,282	43,336	917,402	133,557	2,976,887	138,818	3,179,124
... lb.	15,533,573		14,833,275		44,583,768		46,422,439	
Scoured and Washed { bale	20,265	488,490	754	13,254	37,712	901,290	20,629	543,335
... lb.	4,711,950		183,382		8,771,935		4,653,766	
Wool Tops ... { bale	563	96,635	178	31,653	3,805	566,183	269	46,919
... lb.	294,544		89,372		1,615,479		134,053	
All Other Articles ...	...	603,163	...	470,476	...	1,080,239	...	1,221,467
Total ... ..	...	†5,287,217	...	†2,740,632	...	†12,848,300	...	†9,836,987

\* Information not published.

† Exclusive of gold.



## No. 17.—Trade with Principal Countries.

Country.	1890.	1900.	1910.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.
Imports.							
Australian States	£ 10,049,648	£ 10,164,080	£ 12,623,428*	£ ‡	£ ‡	£ ‡	£ ‡
Oversea—							
United Kingdom	8,628,007	9,923,117	14,385,633	15,367,746	15,608,510	15,722,209	10,514,811
Canada...	18,784	114,321	356,593	944,518	981,845	887,378	1,077,359
Fiji ...	99,853	60,831	161,894	247,650	594,632	1,038,521	337,862
Hong Kong	271,730	67,928	95,450	151,710	200,879	198,899	293,784
India and Ceylon	239,070	601,741	1,135,359	1,031,131	2,021,610	2,023,349	2,403,834
New Zealand	932,073	1,348,605	1,180,011	1,151,271	1,702,753	1,452,899	940,435
South Africa	55	1,013	20,312	25,550	401,026	89,377	67,887
Straits Settlements	27,148	40,391	132,245	231,731	305,992	372,184	522,167
Other British	6,685	118,929	158,494	188,324	225,901	222,945	278,767
Belgium	130,819	147,661	555,298	263,510	1,629	7,955	382
China	241,840	190,456	38,720	53,918	116,838	57,453	55,059
France	117,871	270,084	166,986	99,841	130,721	64,996	45,074
Germany	639,475	1,105,664	1,288,574	497,372	19,549	20,038	8,850
Italy	23,961	92,732	129,246	200,666	333,774	179,434	78,866
Japan	22,040	122,041	335,320	660,389	1,274,348	1,451,040	2,566,864
New Caledonia	83,920	28,509	39,242	37,411	43,569	34,759	92,278
Philippine Islands	4,414	49,240	37,492	41,841	73,638	31,507	124,392
South Sea Islands	40,214	107,488	164,530	\$	\$	\$	\$
United States	859,102	2,557,961	2,150,953	4,320,904	7,374,260	7,367,597	8,003,821
Other Foreign	178,295	448,279	706,641	1,207,760	1,968,224	1,519,757	1,035,087
Total, Oversea	12,565,356	17,396,991	23,238,993	27,323,243	33,379,698	32,742,297	28,447,579
Total, Imports	22,615,004	27,561,071	...	...	...	...	...
Exports.							
Australian States	£ 10,990,593	£ 9,979,190	£ 10,307,115†	£ ‡	£ ‡	£ ‡	£ ‡
Oversea—							
United Kingdom	6,623,431	8,273,272	13,318,099	16,258,252	15,320,054	23,906,117	17,233,042
Canada	10	66,403	76,866	362,016	650,264	6,250,388	326,787
Fiji	98,951	183,579	410,926	379,326	289,836	377,846	547,375
Hong Kong	255,950	218,986	414,042	383,601	252,759	114,490	165,798
India and Ceylon	257,360	174,296	187,128	355,307	573,335	955,049	2,460,642
New Zealand	294,138	826,662	1,319,358	1,767,086	2,421,292	1,988,553	2,120,683
South Africa	1,014	755,487	289,812	753,499	128,016	154,510	373,357
Straits Settlements	34,347	39,898	246,513	211,588	263,623	351,474	415,957
Other British	27,469	49,586	136,742	368,113	497,660	1,907,054	1,860,905
Belgium	1,011,846	620,349	2,970,187	203,527	420	...	...
China	1,037	68,004	64,192	50,546	67,220	64,990	118,256
France	233,924	1,024,300	4,232,137	610,879	1,498,631	1,407,457	234,478
Germany	404,280	844,504	4,934,474	150,619	...	...	...
Italy	24,498	61,132	234,419	570,572	1,934,012	1,276,780	208,412
Japan	7,156	133,989	524,598	1,573,184	2,354,584	2,663,270	2,727,331
New Caledonia	193,396	179,761	115,458	158,794	179,377	251,495	346,176
Philippine Islands	16,410	88,043	226,134	129,591	52,508	124,663	495,120
South Sea Islands	45,290	126,834	214,651	\$	\$	\$	\$
United States	1,300,375	3,981,242	865,326	2,721,910	13,132,683	5,976,345	5,739,808
Other Foreign	225,362	468,999	1,254,389	1,098,615	1,359,142	2,520,343	1,555,360
Total, Oversea	11,055,344	18,185,326	32,035,451	28,107,025	40,975,416	50,290,824	36,929,487
Total, Exports	22,045,937	28,164,516	...	...	...	...	...

\* Imports, 1st January to 13th September inclusive. † Exports, 1st January to 13th September inclusive. ‡ Not available.  
 § Included in "Other Foreign." \*\* Exclusive of Gold.

## No. 18.—Principal Articles Imported at Sydney during September, 1919.

(Compiled from returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Article.	Oversea.*		Interstate.			State.	
	Quantity.	Measure- ment.	Quantity.	Measure- ment.	Value.	Quantity.	Measure- ment.
Agricultural Implements—tons..	9	24	35	57	£ 4,686	...	7
Alc, Beer, and Stout ...	...	29	...	257	5,937	...	39
Animals—Horses ... No.	2	...	10	...	925	40	...
Horned Cattle ...	3	...	...	...	...	898	...
Calves ...	...	...	...	...	...	443	...
Pigs ...	...	...	...	...	...	2,374	...
Bacon and Hams ... tons	...	...	...	91	7,687	...	471
Bananas ... bchs.	95	...	...	...	...	27	...
" ... cases	...	...	105	...	40	11,662	...
Boots, Shoes, &c. ... tons	...	38	...	382	59,048	...	3
Butter ...	...	...	...	59	7,873	...	1,131
Candles, tapers, night-lights ...	1	...	...	73	3,479	...	140
Cement ...	1	1	5	...	46	...	...
Chaff ...	...	...	1,664	...	16,217	2	...
Cheese ...	...	1	...	41	2,748	196	46
Coal ...	...	...	...	...	...	62,873	...
" (bunker) ...	...	...	...	...	...	20,732	...
Confectionery ...	...	4	...	221	10,380	...	2
Cordage, rope, twine, &c. ...	...	180	...	250	16,348	...	1
Drapery ...	6	1,262	...	832	150,238	...	92
Drugs, Medicines, Chemicals..	73	395	88	274	22,747	8	7
Earthenware ...	...	383	...	36	1,126	...	9
Eggs (in shell) ...	...	...	...	7	123	...	322
Fish, fresh and frozen ...	...	23	...	...	...	...	479
Oysters, fresh or other ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	79
Flour ...	...	...	9	...	112	...	...
Fruit, fresh ... cases	...	...	101,246	...	44,331	6,576	...
Furniture ... tons	...	56	...	595	7,701	...	2
Glass and Glassware ...	71	824	...	325	1,722	...	282
Grain—Maize ...	1,328	...	382	...	5,184	1,046	...
Oats ...	695	...	841	...	13,055	1	...
Hardware ...	1,114	787	318	258	31,577	5	20
Hay ...	...	...	15	...	90	334	...
Hides and Skins... ..	27	327	8	3,464	437,239	...	604
Iron—Galvanized ...	2,319	...	20	...	983	16	...
Pig ...	...	...	...	...	...	50	...
Jams and Jellies ...	...	3	...	481	17,867	...	1
Leatherware ...	...	21	...	159	53,187	...	9
Machinery and Machines ...	304	658	143	485	53,100	17	103
Matches & Match-making Materials	...	83	...	153	7,199	...	9
Milk and Cream, preserved	...	...	...	1,016	62,242	...	48
Molasses and Syrup ...	...	...	59	8	587	...	...
Melons, Pumpkins, Squashes No.	...	...	15,924	...	470	38,598	...
Oilmen's Stores ... tons	25	580	62	339	21,688	5	37
Onions ...	938	...	35	...	486	...	...
Potatoes ...	916	...	2,234	...	32,075	65	...
Saddlery ...	11	6	...	2	327	...	2
Soap ...	...	3	2	276	10,823	138	52
Spirits—Brandy... ..	...	...	...	21	3,139	...	...
Gin ...	...	58	...	13	2,531	...	...
Rum ...	...	...	...	90	11,692	...	...
Whisky... ..	...	63	...	73	16,079	...	...
Sugar ...	6	...	4,486	...	101,397	541	...
Tea ...	...	2,250	...	207	8,128	...	6
Timber—Sawn ... sup. ft. }	3,895,836	...	760,951	...	12,131	3,990,886	...
Rough ...	...	...	...	...	...	...	...
Tobacco, Cigars, &c. ... tons	5	302	...	165	41,735	...	13
Vegetables, fresh ...	...	...	83	109	2,135	79	...
Waters, Cordials, &c. ...	...	10	...	75	1,581	...	...
Wines ...	...	22	...	391	15,615	...	19
Woodenware ...	...	86	...	115	1,544	...	21
Wool—Bales and Butts... No.	...	...	5,967	...	127,448	3,876	...
Bags ...	...	...	...	...	...	112	...
Woolens ... tons	...	96	...	103	10,976	...	...
All other Articles ...	14,934	17,231	8,648	10,215	618,659	28,842	8,579
Total ...	...	25,806	...	21,726	2,086,412	...	12,635

\* The total Oversea imports at Sydney were valued at £2,933,970.

## No. 19.—Shipping—all Ports.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Customs Department.)

Year.	Entered.		Cleared.		Tonnage Entered.		Tonnage Cleared.	
	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Vessels.	Tonnage.	Steam.	Sailing.	Steam.	Sailing.
1908	3,196	6,298,784	3,219	6,303,125	5,822,060	476,724	5,737,747	565,378
1909	2,861	5,870,034	2,767	5,689,426	5,388,231	481,803	5,254,376	435,950
1910	2,937	6,290,119	3,035	6,471,855	5,892,049	398,070	6,047,832	424,023
1911	3,127	6,822,135	3,146	6,833,782	6,427,442	394,693	6,424,865	408,917
1912	3,354	7,490,046	3,346	7,453,005	7,010,420	479,626	6,975,678	477,327
1913	3,393	8,117,501	3,375	8,071,101	7,800,389	317,112	7,744,422	326,679
Jan.—June, 1914	1,799	4,393,002	1,765	4,318,636	4,147,905	245,097	4,119,514	199,122
1914-15	3,000	7,051,503	3,059	7,219,914	6,892,390	159,113	7,004,886	215,028
1915-16	3,045	6,552,235	3,062	6,574,582	6,346,795	205,440	6,360,428	214,154
1916-17	2,602	5,803,451	2,613	5,802,683	5,667,671	135,780	5,670,665	132,018
1917-18	2,226	4,407,399	2,235	4,417,390	4,263,906	143,493	4,268,226	149,164
1918-19	2,278	4,342,689	2,284	4,285,103	4,211,210	131,479	4,188,610	96,493
July-Sept., 1919	473	1,239,079	519	1,278,393	1,220,890	18 189	1,255,508	22,885
„ 1918	663	1,135,289	670	1,106,610	1,088,812	46,477	1,078,324	28,286
Sept., 1919	209	443,302	228	531,260	434,704	8,558	527,636	3,624
„ 1918	214	365,676	215	337,334	348,498	17,178	322,571	14,763

NOTE.—The shipping recorded in the above table is "Oversea" and "Interstate" only.

## No. 20.—Shipping entered—Port of Sydney.

(Compiled from Returns supplied by Sydney Harbour Trust.)

Year.	Description of Vessels.	Number of Vessels.			Net Tonnage.		
		Oversea and Interstate.	State.	Total.	Oversea and Interstate.	State.	Total.
1908	Steam ...	2,460	6,469	8,929	5,205,883	1,596,569	6,802,452
	Sailing ...	190	904	1,094	169,339	135,783	305,122
1909	Steam ...	2,314	5,713	8,027	5,148,293	1,483,635	6,631,928
	Sailing ...	193	724	917	171,638	97,491	269,129
1910	Steam ...	2,292	5,700	7,992	5,398,910	1,474,145	6,873,055
	Sailing ...	173	679	852	174,789	89,464	264,253
1911	Steam ...	2,408	6,138	8,546	5,903,713	1,626,209	7,529,922
	Sailing ...	168	502	670	159,031	80,087	239,118
1912	Steam ...	2,747	6,417	9,164	6,580,862	1,738,343	8,319,205
	Sailing ...	110	401	511	120,072	54,782	174,854
1913	Steam ...	2,696	6,718	9,414	7,063,444	1,790,740	8,854,184
	Sailing ...	107	401	508	109,725	54,876	164,601
Jan.—June, 1914	Steam ...	1,371	3,278	4,649	3,722,136	881,795	4,603,931
	Sailing ...	65	167	232	80,675	25,971	106,646
1914-15	Steam ...	2,452	6,640	9,092	6,290,718	1,761,927	8,052,645
	Sailing ...	70	304	374	67,980	43,708	111,688
1915-16	Steam ...	2,321	6,571	8,892	5,589,677	1,762,430	7,352,107
	Sailing ...	152	241	393	136,511	46,659	183,170
1916-17	Steam ...	2,026	6,100	8,126	5,000,450	1,576,907	6,577,357
	Sailing ...	127	200	327	107,841	40,630	148,471
1917-18	Steam ...	1,738	5,468	7,206	3,809,666	1,341,710	5,151,376
	Sailing ...	126	206	332	130,568	38,456	169,024
1918-19	Steam ...	1,791	5,412	7,203	3,712,216	1,271,916	4,984,132
	Sailing ...	131	165	296	134,699	33,835	168,534
July-Sept., 1919	Steam ...	370	1,163	1,533	1,066,140	254,827	1,320,967
	Sailing ...	23	44	67	11,349	6,273	17,622
„ 1918	Steam ...	500	1,491	1,991	910,271	342,877	1,253,148
	Sailing ...	41	56	97	49,331	11,523	60,854
Sept., 1919	Steam ...	168	538	706	406,282	122,638	528,920
	Sailing ...	10	21	31	5,363	4,588	9,951
„ 1918	Steam ...	170	507	677	304,088	116,692	420,780
	Sailing ...	13	18	31	20,901	3,267	24,168

NOTE.—"Oversea and Interstate" shipping includes the trips and tonnages of vessels which proceed to Newcastle for bunker coal, and return to Sydney, but which do not then report at the Customs.

# No. 21.—State Revenue (September), and three months (July to September.)

(Advances recovered are not included.)

Source of Revenue.	September.		Increase or Decrease (-)	July to September.		Increase or Decrease (-)
	1918.	1919.		1918-19.	1919-20.	
<b>Governmental—</b>	£	£	£	£	£	£
Commonwealth Returns ...	192,967	198,344	5,377	578,901	595,032	16,131
Taxation (by State) ...	167,177	206,605	39,428	526,097	599,050	72,953
Public Lands ...	138,427	154,279	15,852	428,964	455,400	26,436
All other sources ...	68,570	82,068	13,498	221,627	236,163	14,536
Gross Total ...	567,141	641,296	74,155	1,755,589	1,885,645	130,056
Refunds ...	22,751	12,355	10,396	31,421	33,818	2,397
Net Total ...	544,390	628,941	84,551	1,724,168	1,851,827	127,659
<b>Business Undertakings by State—</b>						
Railways and Tramways ...	939,230	1,229,800	290,570	2,907,974	3,391,662	483,688
Other ...	237,935	234,849	(-) 3,086	431,212	417,790	(-) 13,422
Gross Total ...	1,177,165	1,464,649	287,484	3,339,186	3,809,452	470,266
Refunds ...	10,502	17,310	6,808	37,027	52,904	15,877
Net Total ...	1,166,663	1,447,339	280,676	3,302,159	3,756,548	454,389
Net Revenue and Receipts proper	£ 1,711,053	2,076,280	365,227	5,063,327	5,608,375	582,048

# No. 22.—State Expenditure (September), and three months (July to September.)

(Transfers and Advances are not included.)

Distribution of Expenditure.	September.		Increase or Decrease (-)	July to September.		Increase or Decrease (-)
	1918.	1919.		1918-19.	1919-20.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Governmental ...	539,224	645,515	106,291	1,759,014	1,928,315	169,301
Business Undertakings ...	691,171	941,118	250,247	2,245,789	2,913,814	668,025
Interest ...	433,364	396,483	(-) 36,881	1,111,733	1,471,519	359,786
Total Expenditure ...	£ 1,663,759	1,983,416	319,657	5,116,536	6,313,648	1,197,112

# No. 23.—Transactions on Consolidated Revenue Account, three months (July to September.)

Particulars.	1918-19.	1919-20.
	£	£
Balance on 1st July ...	Dr. 459,313	Dr. 244,545
Revenue proper—Governmental ...	1,724,168	1,851,827
Business Undertakings ...	3,302,159	3,756,548
Other Receipts ...	9,593	69,849
Total Receipts ...	£ 5,035,920	5,678,224
Expenditure proper—Governmental ...	1,759,014	1,928,314
Business Undertakings ...	2,245,789	2,913,814
Interest ...	1,111,733	1,471,519
Bogan Scrub Clearing ...	...	...
Two-thirds Net-proceeds Sale—Crown Lands ...	...	...
Meat Supply for Imperial Uses Act ...	110,642	180,640
Transfer to Special Deposit Account, Forestry Revenue ...	12,072	12,144
Grant to Public Works Fund ...	...	...
Wheat Acquisition Act ...	...	...
Other Payments ...	62,431	319,884
Total Payments ...	£ 5,301,681	6,826,315
Balance at 30th September ...	Dr. £725,074	Dr. £1,392,636

NOTE.—The total receipts in this table (No. 23), represent the gross transactions, including advances recovered, while the expenditure includes transfers to various funds, also temporary advances made. These items are not included in Tables Nos. 21 and 22, but they are necessary in order to ascertain the balances of the Consolidated Revenue Fund.



## No. 24.—State Revenue—Comparison—Monthly.

Month.	1918-19.			1919-20.			Increase (+) Decrease (—)	
	Governmental.	Business Under-takings.	Total.	Governmental.	Business Under-takings.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
July ... ..	598,273	1,029,352	1,627,625	587,422	1,039,472	1,626,894	(—)	731
August ... ..	581,505	1,106,144	1,687,649	635,464	1,269,737	1,905,201	(+)	217,552
September ... ..	544,390	1,166,663	1,711,053	628,941	1,447,339	2,076,280	(+)	365,227
Total (three months)	1,724,168	3,302,159	5,026,327	1,851,827	3,756,548	5,608,375	(+)	582,048

## No. 25.—State Expenditure—Comparison—Monthly.

Month.	1918-19.			1919-20.			Increase (+) Decrease (—)	
	Governmental (including Interest and Sinking Fund).	Business Under-takings.	Total.	Governmental (including Interest and Sinking Fund).	Business Under-takings.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	
July ... ..	924,930	807,420	1,732,350	1,000,992	1,012,650	2,013,642	(+)	281,292
August ... ..	973,229	747,198	1,720,427	1,356,844	959,746	2,316,590	(+)	596,163
September ... ..	972,588	691,171	1,663,759	1,041,998	941,418	1,983,416	(+)	319,657
Total (three months)	2,870,747	2,245,789	5,116,536	3,399,834	2,913,814	6,313,648	(+)	1,197,112

## No. 26.—Public Debt and Expenditure from Loans, 1909-19.

Year ended 30th June.	Public Debt at end of Year.		Net Expenditure from Loans during Year.				
			Reproductive Works.			Other Works and Services.	Total.
	Total.	Per Head of Population.	Railways and Tramways.	Water Supply and Sewerage (including Water Conservation).	Harbours and Rivers (including Docks, Resumptions, &c.).		
	£	£ s. d.	£	£	£	£	£
1909	90,307,419	57 6 7	2,127,633	617,589	114,095	47,190	2,906,507
1910	92,525,095	57 6 6	2,471,284	578,111	158,732	38,513	3,246,640
1911	95,523,926	57 9 9	2,547,672	730,819	234,213	409,054	3,921,758
1912	100,052,635	57 10 9	3,448,127	1,344,211	413,998	284,767	5,491,103
1913	106,170,747	58 13 9	4,618,967	1,595,093	676,180	813,354	7,703,594
1914	116,695,031	62 16 9	5,714,964	1,942,497	862,927	606,456	9,126,844
1915	127,735,405	68 7 8	4,690,908	1,368,260	685,231	251,708	6,996,107
1916	130,514,018	69 19 8	4,983,632	1,535,364	1,005,291	648,817	8,173,104
1917	138,138,347	73 19 5	3,842,809	1,435,674	962,881	620,815	6,862,179
1918	*152,584,693	79 18 11	2,412,108	1,287,012	455,861	332,530	4,487,511
1919	147,174,556	75 1 4	1,543,857	1,027,708	297,304	1,050,018	3,918,887

NOTE.—Redemptions of Loans are not included in the Expenditure.

\* Includes Stock raised in February, 1918, viz., £10,076,000, being portion of loans maturing in September, 1918.

No. 27.—Net Revenue and Receipts of the Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1911-12 to 1918-19.

Head of Revenue.	1911-12.	1912-13	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
<b>Governmental :—</b>	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
<b>Taxation—</b>								
Commonwealth—Balance of Revenue collected and returned to	2,046,993	2,178,683	2,248,241	2,287,295	2,297,872	2,286,913	2,317,783	2,380,139
State ... ..	1,885,653	1,405,360	2,330,095	2,955,670	3,117,221	3,629,404	3,860,501	4,083,990
State ... ..	3,932,646	3,584,043	4,578,246	5,242,965	5,415,093	5,916,317	6,178,284	6,464,129
<b>Land—</b>								
Alienations ... ..	962,108	999,363	982,885	906,785	1,057,711	972,657	1,068,676	1,049,674
Revenue ... ..	803,261	836,585	846,002	791,296	807,602	758,615	759,297	778,733
	£ 1,765,459	1,835,948	1,828,887	1,698,081	1,865,313	1,731,272	1,827,973	1,828,407
Receipts for Services rendered	£ 381,981	412,727	453,016	408,390	414,671	417,345	406,490	446,837
Miscellaneous Receipts ... ..	553,226	495,426	482,649	561,093	502,328	550,008	519,016	632,039
Industrial Undertakings of the State ... ..	20,281	32,885	6,300	10,358	9,060	12,710	12,348	11,581
<b>Total Governmental</b> ... ..	<b>£ 6,653,593</b>	<b>6,361,029</b>	<b>7,349,098</b>	<b>7,920,887</b>	<b>8,206,465</b>	<b>8,627,652</b>	<b>8,944,111</b>	<b>9,382,993</b>
<b>Business Undertakings by the State :—</b>								
Railways and Tramways ... ..	8,067,597	8,544,376	9,684,877	9,660,822	9,990,502	10,390,602	10,821,648	12,183,026
Sydney Harbour Trust ... ..	412,410	452,244	470,773	464,681	489,722	511,981	576,459	618,901
Metropolitan Board of Water Supply and Sewerage ... ..	584,654	633,600	713,056	796,338	844,664	866,313	953,306	1,116,415
Hunter District Water Supply and Sewerage Board ... ..	58,788	66,145	80,945	85,823	98,089	99,448	104,822	117,925
<b>Total Business Undertakings</b> ... ..	<b>£ 9,123,449</b>	<b>9,696,365</b>	<b>10,949,651</b>	<b>11,007,664</b>	<b>11,422,977</b>	<b>11,868,344</b>	<b>12,456,235</b>	<b>14,036,267</b>
<b>Total</b> ... ..	<b>15,777,042</b>	<b>16,057,394</b>	<b>18,298,749</b>	<b>18,928,551</b>	<b>19,629,442</b>	<b>20,495,996</b>	<b>21,400,346</b>	<b>23,419,260</b>
<b>Other Receipts (Advances Repaid, &amp;c.)</b> ... ..	<b>20,094</b>	<b>493,127</b>	<b>139,479</b>	<b>17,676</b>	<b>74,076</b>	<b>26,101</b>	<b>143,396</b>	<b>28,906</b>
<b>Grand Total</b> ... ..	<b>£ 15,797,136</b>	<b>16,550,521</b>	<b>18,438,228</b>	<b>18,946,227</b>	<b>19,703,518</b>	<b>20,522,097</b>	<b>21,543,742</b>	<b>23,448,166</b>

No. 38.—Net Expenditure from the Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1911-12 to 1918-19.

Head of Expenditure.	1911-12.	1912-13.	1913-14.	1914-15	1915-16	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
<b>Governmental:—</b>	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
Interest on Public Debt and on Funds in temporary possession of Government (exclusive of Business Undertakings) ... ..	897,215	950,895	1,022,732	971,435	1,057,769	1,004,193	1,089,729	975,352
Reduction of Public Debt ... ..	130,991	115,633	5,631	5,688	6,504	6,867	6,819	6,832
Transfer to Public Works Fund—Two-thirds of Proceeds of Land Sales, Act No. 9 of 1906 ... ..	348,664	359,698	336,541	299,408	354,818	328,043	369,781	369,769
Local Government and Main Roads—Endowments and Grants ...	341,264	281,304	238,352	231,243	344,022	308,336	323,145	332,664
Hospitals and Charities (including Lunacy) ... ..	567,185	643,969	733,387	769,311	880,243	929,218	949,154	1,003,246
Police and Prisons ... ..	574,781	641,858	655,189	653,282	652,119	694,514	736,192	734,830
<b>Departments—</b>								
Premier ... ..	109,632	115,303	85,925	185,883	175,978	132,923	92,893	92,576
Chief Secretary and Public Health (excluding Police, Hospitals, &c.)	101,533	107,827	122,666	132,955	126,539	135,172	143,235	152,327
Treasurer (excluding Interest, Charitable Allowances, &c.) ...	586,994	603,520	624,716	593,936	594,751	735,911	825,903	807,519
Attorney-General and Justice (excluding Prisons) ... ..	291,971	301,788	325,776	333,965	334,058	331,390	329,387	346,459
Lands ... ..	382,396	391,752	384,478	451,025	410,017	384,854	384,959	396,348
Public Works (excluding Local Government Endowments, &c.) ...	507,650	540,515	418,225	441,523	444,698	459,035	429,393	427,500
Public Instruction (including Grants to Educational and Scientific Institutions) ... ..	1,405,358	1,490,205	1,607,324	1,635,453	1,698,515	1,853,049	1,955,267	2,125,659
Labour and Industry ... ..	19,098	39,510	51,049	43,759	53,111	55,156	40,076	63,022
Mines ... ..	64,347	63,157	67,834	71,010	74,803	62,425	61,744	62,745
Agriculture ... ..	187,062	216,366	295,943	236,163	245,298	249,244	295,791	254,809
Local Government and Main Roads (Administration) ... ..	.....	.....	.....	.....	21,777	29,612	29,092	27,490
All other Services ... ..	383,362	470,927	450,190	420,223	445,516	452,204	494,009	533,678
<b>Total, Governmental</b> ... ..	£ 6,899,503	7,334,227	7,448,958	7,526,262	7,917,536	8,152,146	8,564,569	8,712,825
<b>Business Undertakings, including Interest on Capital:—</b>								
Railways and Tramways ... ..	7,733,147	8,754,490	9,505,926	9,540,159	10,107,149	10,794,694	10,969,924	12,370,545
Water Supply and Sewerage ... ..	652,819	688,813	725,931	785,300	841,278	984,803	1,065,413	1,132,769
Sydney Harbour Trust ... ..	343,865	389,237	366,698	383,435	420,669	464,564	499,156	510,785
<b>Total, Business Undertakings</b> ... ..	£ 8,729,831	9,832,570	10,598,555	10,708,894	11,369,096	12,244,061	12,534,493	14,014,099
Grants to Public Works Fund ... ..	290,065	565,065	.....	200,000	235,000	235,000	250,000	200,000
Other Payments (Advances made, &c.) ... ..	217,880	47,038	17,676	81,023	32,295	159,688	170,856	306,474
<b>Grand Total</b> ... ..	£ 16,137,279	17,778,900	18,065,189	18,516,179	19,553,927	20,790,895	21,519,918	23,233,398

## No. 29.—Transactions on Consolidated Revenue Fund, 1913-14 to 1918-19.

	1913-14.	1914-15.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.	1918-19.
	£	£	£	£	£	£
Balance brought forward ...	Dr. 1,167,017	Dr. 793,978	Dr. 363,930	Dr. 214,339	Dr. 483,137	Dr. 459,313
Net Revenue Proper ...	18,298,749	18,928,551	19,629,442	20,495,996	21,400,346	23,419,260
Advances Repaid ...	139,479	17,676	74,076	26,101	143,396	28,906
(A) Total Receipts for year	18,438,228	18,946,227	19,703,518	20,522,097	21,543,742	23,448,166
Net Expenditure Proper ...	17,705,341	17,930,060	18,925,310	20,061,297	20,722,462	22,350,323
Payments to Sinking Fund.	5,631	5,688	6,504	6,867	6,819	6,832
Advances—Treasurer's Account and Loan Votes ...	17,676	81,023	32,295	159,688	170,856	306,474
Public Works Fund—Statutory payment of $\frac{2}{3}$ of Proceeds of Sale of Crown lands, less 20 per cent. ...	336,541	299,408	354,818	328,043	369,781	369,769
Payments in aid—Public Works Fund ...	...	200,000	235,000	235,000	250,000	200,000
(B) Total Disbursements during year ...	18,065,189	18,516,179	19,553,927	20,790,895	21,519,918	23,233,398
Surplus on Transactions of year—(A)–(B) ...	373,039	430,048	149,591	(–)268,798	23,824	214,768

(–) Denotes deficiency.

## No. 30.—Revenue per head collected by the State, 1909-1919.

Year ended 30th June.	Governmental.					Business Undertakings.					Total Revenue.
	Taxation.	Returned by Commonwealth	Land Revenue.	Other Revenue.	Total.	Railways and Tramways.	Water and Sewerage.	Sydney Harbour Trust.	Total.		
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
1909	0 11 7	2 3 0	1 2 10	8 3	4 5 8	3 18 8	6 10 4	3 4 9	9 8 15	5	
1910	0 15 4	2 1 11	1 1 8	8 11	4 7 10	4 3 6	7 1 4	3 4 14	10 9 2	8	
1911	0 12 6	1 3 9	1 2 5	8 6	3 7 2	4 10 6	7 2 4	7 5 2	3 8 9	5	
1912	1 2 2	1 4 1	1 0 10	11 6	3 18 7	4 15 0	7 7 4	10 5 7	5 9 6	0	
1913	0 15 10	1 4 6	1 0 7	16 2	3 17 1	4 16 1	7 10 5	1 5 9	6 9 6	1	
1914	1 5 5	1 4 6	0 19 11	11 10	4 1 8	5 5 8	8 8 5	2 5 19	6 10 1	2	
1915	1 11 9	1 4 6	0 18 3	10 8	4 5 2	5 3 8	9 6 5	0 5 18	2 10 3	4	
1916	1 13 4	1 4 7	0 19 11	10 9	4 8 7	5 6 11	10 1 5	3 6 2	3 10 10	10	
1917	1 18 11	1 4 7	0 18 7	10 9	4 12 10	5 11 6	10 5 5	6 6 7	5 11 0	3	
1918	2 0 11	1 4 7	0 19 8	11 5	4 16 4	5 14 7	11 2 6	1 6 11	10 11 8	2	
1919	2 2 3	1 4 8	0 18 11	11 8	4 17 6	6 6 2	12 9 6	5 7 5	4 12 2	10	

## No. 31.—Expenditure per head by the State, 1909-19.

Year ended 30th June.	Governmental.				Business Undertakings.				Total Expenditure.
	Public Instruction.	Interest and Sinking Funds.	Other Services.	Total.	Railways and Tramways.*	Water and Sewerage.*	Sydney Harbour Trust.*	Total.	
	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	s. d.	s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1909	0 13 11	0 15 10	3 15 7	5 5 4	3 13 1	6 9 3	7 4 3	5 9 8	9
1910	0 14 4	0 15 5	3 1 4	4 11 1	3 16 10	6 8 3	7 4 7	1 8 18	2
1911	0 14 9	0 14 10	2 13 8	4 3 3	4 2 6	7 1 3	9 4 13	4 8 16	7
1912	0 16 7	0 12 2	2 18 6	4 7 3	4 11 1	7 8 4	0 5 2	9 9 10	0
1913	0 16 9	0 12 0	3 0 6	4 9 3	4 18 5	7 9 4	5 5 10	7 9 19	10
1914	0 17 6	0 11 3	2 12 9	4 1 6	5 3 9	7 11 4	0 5 15	8 9 17	2
1915	0 17 6	0 10 6	2 15 9	4 3 9	5 2 5	8 5 4	1 5 14	11 9 18	8
1916	0 18 2	0 11 5	2 18 0	4 7 7	5 8 2	9 1 4	5 6 1	11 10 9	3
1917	0 19 10	0 10 3	3 0 11	4 11 7	5 15 11	10 6 5	0 6 11	5 11 3	0
1918	1 0 8	0 11 7	3 2 10	4 15 1	5 15 11	11 3 5	4 6 12	6 11 7	7
1919	1 2 0	0 10 2	3 3 4	4 15 6	6 8 1	11 9 5	3 7 5	1 12 0	7

\* Includes payment of interest on capital expenditure.

NOTE.—See Tables Nos. 27 and 28 for actual amounts received and expended.



## No. 32.—Trading Banks—Liabilities.

NOTE.—Liabilities to Shareholders are not included.

Quarter ended 30th June.	Notes in Circulation.	Bills in Circulation.	Deposits.			Balances due to other Banks.	Total Liabilities.
			Not bearing Interest.	Bearing Interest.	Total.		
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1908	1,713,314	283,567	18,847,680	24,769,305	43,616,985	357,320	45,971,186
1909	1,659,826	298,868	18,846,211	25,834,135	44,680,346	129,093	46,768,133
1910	1,801,807	370,885	23,512,712	26,642,873	50,155,585	100,348	52,428,625
1911	1,819,180	402,760	25,985,355	29,341,683	55,327,038	206,181	57,755,159
1912	226,151	418,504	27,937,492	30,292,076	58,229,568	177,130	59,051,353
1913	142,686	431,429	26,504,388	30,777,791	57,282,179	861,270	58,717,564
1914	111,939	510,811	29,944,028	32,983,409	62,927,437	1,177,365	64,727,552
1915	95,505	419,227	33,186,317	35,031,367	68,217,684	1,236,574	69,968,990
1916	87,316	529,211	43,610,878	36,435,167	80,046,045	2,120,888	82,783,460
1917	80,765	584,564	46,599,978	37,449,286	84,049,264	1,534,805	86,249,398
1918	73,615	694,466	46,125,775	40,363,818	86,489,593	1,722,958	88,980,632
1919	69,509	738,596	45,215,578	48,649,516	93,865,094	3,076,213	97,749,442
Sept. 1919	67,191	713,745	42,535,728	47,835,632	90,371,360	3,135,576	94,287,872
" 1918	73,090	644,494	47,269,887	45,468,099	92,737,986	1,745,992	95,201,562

† Includes Commonwealth Savings Bank deposits which have already been included under the returns of Savings Banks—Table No. 35. On 30th September, 1919, the amount so included was £5,420,775.

## No. 33.—Trading Banks—Assets.

Quarter ended 30th June.	Coin.	Bullion.	Australian Notes.	Landed Property.	Notes and Bills discounted, and all other debts due to the Banks.	Notes and Bills of other Banks.	Balances due from other Banks.	Total Assets.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1908	9,617,962	190,432	.....	1,783,694	37,968,766	348,516	487,604	50,396,974
1909	10,096,626	222,304	.....	1,791,040	37,109,453	344,069	419,509	49,983,001
1910	12,785,389	195,204	.....	1,824,349	37,482,907	407,089	607,367	53,302,305
1911	14,327,999	196,961	1,770,751	1,871,811	42,456,515	664,320	618,467	61,906,824
1912	12,116,947	196,110	1,992,519	1,930,319	47,449,649	293,103	488,699	64,467,346
1913	11,839,977	143,723	1,854,248	1,967,555	45,147,699	365,625	1,110,028	62,428,855
1914	15,364,463	120,338	1,845,189	1,953,111	47,765,084	493,760	1,571,433	69,118,378
1915	14,711,181	117,900	7,273,320	2,108,633	51,379,741	484,435	1,322,677	77,397,887
1916	11,570,443	134,935	13,073,103	2,255,032	59,101,909	504,809	2,284,894	88,925,125
1917	11,022,375	541,657	11,766,417	2,348,946	63,031,127	534,028	1,839,955	91,084,505
1918	11,058,838	397,547	11,042,479	2,389,946	73,015,430	597,882	2,172,052	100,674,174
1919	10,690,571	369,120	12,143,796	2,378,000	88,808,710	637,069	4,019,595	119,046,261
Sept. 1919	9,971,380	382,532	12,384,699	2,370,776	87,662,489	742,073	3,875,631	117,389,580
" 1918	11,044,584	436,762	12,142,249	2,358,478	82,304,454	684,335	2,858,524	111,829,386

## No. 34.—Trading Banks' Exchange Settlements, Sydney.

Year.	Amount.	Year.	Amount.
	£		£
1907	234,169,822	1913	348,741,175
1908	227,736,243	1914	353,068,040
1909	240,645,737	1915	357,803,424
1910	274,343,666	1916	422,371,972
1911	304,488,435	1917	444,532,030
1912	339,621,122	1918	552,216,829
Total, 1st January to 29th September, 1919	...	...	£415,473,452
" " 30th September, 1918	...	...	£407,739,043

## No. 35.—Savings Banks.

Year ended 30th June.	Number of Depositors on 30th June.	Value of Deposits on 30th June.	Increase in Deposits during Year.	Amount Deposited on 30th June.	
				Per Depositor.	Per Inhabitant.
	No.	£	£	£ s. d.	£ s. d.
1908	435,618	17,849,384	1,511,333	40 19	11 11 3
1909	444,930	19,022,151	1,172,767	42 15 1	12 1 6
1910	478,006	20,823,764	1,801,613	43 11 3	12 18 0
1911	522,251	23,381,014	2,557,250	44 15 4	14 1 5
1912	577,232	26,539,640	3,158,626	45 19 6	15 5 3
†1913	647,124	29,568,282	3,028,642	45 13 10	16 6 10
†1914	717,737	33,167,523	3,599,241	46 4 3	17 17 2
†1915	755,835	35,562,649	2,395,126	47 1 0	19 0 9
†1916	806,882	37,363,272	1,800,623	46 6 1	20 0 8
†1917	872,331	40,836,747	3,473,475	46 16 3	21 17 4
†1918	920,337	43,039,012	2,202,265	46 15 3	22 12 2
†1919	984,951	47,070,342	4,031,330	47 15 9	24 0 2

† Includes returns from Savings Bank Branch of Commonwealth Bank of Australia.

## No. 36.—State Railways.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic.	Capital expended on lines open.	Net Earnings.	Train miles run.	Net Earnings per train mile.	Passengers carried.
	No.	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1909	3,623	47,612,666	2,075,626	15,074,144	2 9	52,051,556
1910	3,643	48,925,348	2,209,306	15,468,026	2 10½	53,644,271
1911	3,761	50,971,894	2,351,144	17,006,697	2 9½	60,919,628
1912	3,832	53,514,903	2,321,882	18,521,320	2 6	70,706,728
1913	3,930	57,653,778	2,104,104	19,184,247	2 2½	79,490,012
1914	3,967	61,264,869	2,332,421	20,549,695	2 3½	86,328,421
1915	4,134	65,583,274	2,305,349	20,420,023	2 3	88,774,451
1916	4,188	68,825,592	2,344,910	21,556,034	2 2½	92,850,838
1917	4,437	72,000,621	2,464,725	20,300,717	2 5½	96,709,846
1918	4,679	75,050,450	3,014,433	18,143,267	3 4	94,304,516
1919	4,824	76,601,591	3,053,723	19,935,202	3 0½	98,568,768
*Sept., 1919	4,928	76,601,591	1,059,347	5,579,652	3 9½	26,490,064
„ 1918	4,683	75,050,450	787,027	4,954,031	3 2½	25,131,778

\* Information at end of quarter.

## No. 37.—State Tramways.

Year ended 30th June.	Miles open for traffic.	Capital expended on lines open.	Net Earnings.	Tramway miles run.	Net earnings per tram mile.	Passengers carried.
	No.	£	£	No.	s. d.	No.
1909	151	4,252,731	222,005	18,853,621	0 2½	186,318,738
1910	166	4,668,797	201,981	20,579,386	0 2½	201,151,021
1911	190	5,121,586	221,682	22,541,429	0 2½	230,275,938
1912	195	5,664,324	249,980	24,362,219	0 2½	266,789,546
1913	208	6,699,305	182,376	26,954,767	0 1½	294,455,452
1914	212	7,628,653	265,131	28,415,476	0 2½	310,592,698
1915	220	7,970,293	374,774	26,842,974	0 3½	289,282,845
1916	221	8,166,423	388,978	26,451,442	0 3½	292,021,774
1917	224	8,309,629	317,172	25,361,992	0 3	295,303,714
1918	225	8,470,091	389,381	21,761,244	0 4½	255,740,808
1919	225	8,568,138	386,977	24,674,306	0 3½	268,797,814
*Sept., 1919	226	8,568,138	136,414	6,295,105	0 5½	73,200,006
„ 1918	225	8,470,091	128,719	6,223,024	0 4½	68,059,497

\* Information at end of quarter.

## No. 38.—Area under Crop.

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane Cut for Crushing.	Hay.	Vines. Wine-making.	Potatoes.	All Crops. *
	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.	acres.
1908	1,390,171	160,980	75,762	9,916	542,761	4,644	31,917	2,570,137
1909	1,394,056	180,812	59,881	6,951	715,896	4,472	26,301	2,713,971
1910	1,990,180	212,797	81,452	6,480	630,664	4,561	35,725	3,174,864
1911	2,128,826	213,217	77,991	5,596	638,577	4,354	44,452	3,351,921
1912	2,380,710	167,781	71,047	5,244	654,149	4,260	43,148	3,629,170
1913	2,231,514	176,471	85,175	6,137	947,062	4,403	34,124	3,737,269
1914	3,205,397	156,820	103,416	6,198	801,130	4,498	38,725	4,568,841
1915	2,758,024	143,663	43,476	6,012	785,944	4,113	30,418	4,808,627
1916	4,188,865	154,130	58,636	6,030	1,108,919	3,501	19,589	5,794,835
1917	3,806,604	155,378	67,111	5,223	858,532	3,442	22,449	5,163,030
1918	3,329,371	145,754	82,591	5,588	620,644	3,839	22,580	4,462,916

\* The figures in this column are exclusive of areas double-cropped.

## No. 39.—Production of Crops.

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Total value of Agricultural Production.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£
1908	9,155,884	4,527,852	851,776	277,390	376,800	778,500	55,882	6,587,990
1909	15,483,276	5,216,038	1,119,558	144,760	730,014	736,262	71,794	8,318,900
1910	28,532,029	7,098,255	1,966,586	131,081	981,201	808,870	100,143	10,908,320
1911	27,913,547	7,594,130	1,702,706	160,311	843,080	805,600	121,033	9,493,060
1912	25,088,102	4,507,342	1,155,226	147,799	728,474	850,210	75,166	9,748,820
1913	32,487,336	5,111,990	1,674,075	140,914	1,108,275	719,100	91,642	11,816,790
1914	38,020,381	4,453,309	1,835,406	185,970	955,047	561,100	106,849	12,377,650
1915	12,830,530	3,174,825	513,910	181,606	613,262	549,140	40,709	10,031,760
1916	66,764,910	3,773,600	1,345,698	157,748	1,573,938	571,000	44,445	20,362,360
1917	36,598,000	4,333,480	1,084,980	143,558	1,174,050	628,950	45,331	11,487,830
1918	37,712,000	3,499,960	1,455,111	174,881	784,206	538,210	49,984	13,684,900

## No. 40.—Average Yield per acre of Crops.

Season ended June.	Wheat.	Maize.	Oats.	Sugar-cane.	Hay.	Wine.	Potatoes.	Value per acre.
	bushels.	bushels.	bushels.	tons.	tons.	gallons.	tons.	£ s. d.
1908	6'6	28'1	11'2	27'97	0'69	168	1'75	2 11 3
1909	11'1	28'8	18'7	20'83	1'02	165	2'73	3 1 3
1910	14'3	33'4	24'1	20'23	1'56	177	2'80	3 8 9
1911	13'1	35'6	21'8	28'65	1'32	185	2'72	2 16 2
1912	10'5	26'9	16'3	28'18	1'11	200	1'74	2 13 9
1913	14'6	29'0	19'7	22'96	1'17	163	2'68	3 3 3
1914	11'9	28'4	17'7	30'00	1'19	125	2'76	2 14 2
1915	4'7	22'1	11'8	30'21	0'78	134	1'34	2 1 9
1916	15'9	24'5	23'0	26'16	1'42	163	2'27	3 10 3
1917	9'6	27'9	16'2	27'49	1'37	183	2'02	2 4 6
Av'ge for 10 years	11'5	29'1	18'2	26'61	1'12	184	2'47	2 16 9
1918	11'3	24'0	17'6	31'30	1'26	140	2'21	3 1 4

## No. 41.—Live Stock.

Year.	Horses.	Cattle.		Sheep.	Pigs.
		Dairy Cows.*	All other.		
	No.	No.	No.	No.	No.
31st Dec., 1907	578,326	756,916	1,994,277	44,461,839	216,145
" 1908	591,045	777,149	2,178,785	43,379,797	215,822
" 1909	604,784	794,549	2,233,178	46,202,578	237,849
" 1910	650,636	866,030	2,274,277	45,560,969	321,632
" 1911	689,004	894,744	2,299,492	44,947,287	371,093
" 1912	716,457	852,782	2,188,052	39,044,502	293,653
" 1913	746,170	822,667	2,000,073	39,850,223	288,090
30th June, 1915	733,341	850,957	1,626,635	33,009,038	286,704
" 1916	719,542	835,719	1,570,051	32,600,729	281,158
" 1917	733,791	854,632	1,911,311	36,196,383	359,763
" 1918	742,247	888,217	2,273,500	38,621,196	396,157

NOTE.—All returns of live stock for years subsequent to 1917 include Lord Howe Island.

\* The figures for the last ten years are made up as follow :—

Period.	Milch Cows.		Dry Dairy Cows.		Heifers within 3 months of calving.		Total Dairy Cows..
31st Dec., 1908	..	527,843	..	208,840	..	40,466	777,149
" 1909	..	566,378	..	189,507	..	38,664	794,549
" 1910	..	632,786	..	193,657	..	39,587	866,030
" 1911	..	638,525	..	218,593	..	37,626	894,744
" 1912	..	620,730	..	201,810	..	30,742	852,782
" 1913	..	600,420	..	189,769	..	32,478	822,667
30th June, 1915	..	426,173	..	344,247	..	80,537	850,957
" 1916	..	426,227	..	317,368	..	92,124	835,719
" 1917	..	424,033	..	319,230	..	111,369	854,632
" 1918	..	429,566	..	347,834	..	110,827	888,217

## No. 42.—Production—Pastoral and Dairying.

Year.	Wool (as in the grease).	Tallow.	Butter.	Cheese.	Bacon and Hams.
	lb.	cwt.	lb.	lb.	lb.
1907	367,446,000	490,430	60,041,449	4,586,857	10,358,526
1908	338,129,000	420,630	61,380,876	4,763,360	9,488,299
1909	370,808,000	640,110	62,865,608	4,775,268	9,931,377
1910	415,338,000	742,200	76,624,830	5,191,089	12,620,067
1911	371,546,000	729,330	83,204,568	5,460,652	16,102,827
1912	326,804,000	568,500	76,609,528	5,454,685	16,526,376
1913	357,985,000	795,020	77,779,197	6,620,648	15,192,263
Jany. to June, 1914	131,810,000*	348,680*	42,427,000*	2,882,000*	6,587,000*
1914-15	318,935,000	711,850	84,134,280	6,356,627	15,327,048
1915-16	262,045,000	274,000	59,631,543	5,979,636	13,576,641
1916-17	270,525,000	379,660	79,364,471	7,830,239	15,788,156
1917-18	284,188,000	331,294	80,468,007	7,799,676	18,555,144

\*Partly estimated.

## No. 43.—Persons employed permanently in Rural Occupations.

Year ended 30th June.	Males.	Females.	Total.	Year ended 30th June.	Males.	Females.	Total.
	No.	No.	No.		No.	No.	No.
1907	117,522	21,341	138,863	1913	127,414	24,218	151,632
1908	120,106	20,809	140,915	1914	128,029	25,428	153,457
1909	119,836	22,317	142,153	1915	122,510	23,792	146,302
1910	123,769	22,573	146,342	1916	119,277	24,147	143,424
1911	126,548	24,632	151,180	1917	116,092	26,077	142,169
1912	129,174	25,204	154,378	1918	112,549	26,904	139,453



# No. 44.—Average Wholesale Prices in Sydney of N.S.W. Agricultural and Dairy Produce—Monthly.

Month.	Wheat (Milling).*	Flour (In 150 lb. bags).	Bran.	Pollard.	Oats.	Maize.	Hay (Oaten).
	per bushel. s. d.	per ton. £ s. d.	per bushel. d.	per bushel. d.	per bushel. s. d.	per bushel. s. d.	per ton. £ s. d.
1918.							
July ...	4 9	11 0 0	9'6	13'2	4 11 $\frac{3}{4}$	5 8	7 14 0
August ...	4 9	11 0 0	9'6	13'2	5 0	5 9 $\frac{3}{8}$	5 11 9
September ...	4 9	11 0 0	9'6	13'2	5 0	5 11 $\frac{3}{8}$	5 18 3
October ...	4 9	11 0 0	9'6	13'2	4 6 $\frac{1}{8}$	6 2 $\frac{1}{8}$	7 12 6
November ...	4 9	11 0 0	9'6	13'2	5 0	6 4 $\frac{5}{8}$	8 2 6
December...	4 9	11 0 0	10'8	12'0	5 0	6 5 $\frac{7}{8}$	8 5 0
1919.							
January ...	4 9	11 0 0	10'8	12'0	5 1 $\frac{1}{2}$	7 9	9 0 9
February ...	5 0	11 0 0	13'8	15'0	5 5 $\frac{1}{8}$	8 3	8 8 0
March ...	5 0	11 0 0	13'8	15'0	5 6 $\frac{3}{8}$	8 1 $\frac{1}{4}$	7 7 6
April ...	5 0	11 0 0	13'8	15'0	5 6 $\frac{3}{8}$	7 5 $\frac{1}{8}$	8 8 3
May ...	5 0	11 0 0	13'8	15'0	5 6	8 0	9 6 9
June ...	5 0	11 0 0	13'8	15'0	5 6	7 4 $\frac{5}{8}$	8 15 0
July ...	5 0	11 0 0	13'8	15'0	5 9	7 4 $\frac{7}{8}$	9 9 6
August ...	5 0	11 0 0	13'8	15'0	6 0	7 5 $\frac{3}{8}$	10 5 0
September ...	5 0	11 0 0	13'8	15'0	6 1 $\frac{7}{8}$	8 0 $\frac{3}{4}$	10 10 9
	Potatoes (Local).	Butter (Good Brands)	Cheese (Prime).	Bacon (Sides).	Lard (Bulk).	Eggs. "Norths and Souths."	
	per ton. £ s. d.	per lb. d.	per lb. d.	per lb. d.	per lb. d.	per doz. s. d.	per doz. s. d.
1918.							
July ...	5 2 6	17 $\frac{1}{4}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	12	10	1 5	1 6 $\frac{1}{4}$
August ...	6 0 0	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{5}{8}$	10	1 0 $\frac{1}{4}$	1 2
September ...	5 3 3	17 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	0 9 $\frac{7}{8}$	0 11 $\frac{1}{2}$
October ...	6 11 9	16 $\frac{1}{2}$	10 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	10	0 10 $\frac{1}{4}$	0 11
November ...	9 5 0	16 $\frac{5}{8}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	9 $\frac{7}{8}$	0 11 $\frac{1}{8}$	1 0 $\frac{3}{8}$
December...	8 14 3	18 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	13	9 $\frac{7}{8}$	1 0 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 2 $\frac{3}{8}$
1919.							
January ...	16 16 9	18 $\frac{1}{2}$	11 $\frac{1}{2}$	13	10	1 0 $\frac{7}{8}$	1 5 $\frac{1}{2}$
February ...	12 3 3	18 $\frac{3}{4}$	11 $\frac{3}{4}$	13	10	1 3 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 8 $\frac{3}{8}$
March ...	10 5 0	20	13 $\frac{1}{2}$	13	10 $\frac{1}{4}$	1 6 $\frac{1}{8}$	2 0 $\frac{1}{2}$
April ...	11 0 0	19	12 $\frac{3}{4}$	13 $\frac{1}{4}$	10	1 7 $\frac{1}{8}$	2 3 $\frac{3}{4}$
May ...	11 5 0	9	13	13 $\frac{1}{4}$	10	2 1	2 6
June ...	9 1 9	19	13	13 $\frac{1}{4}$	10	2 2 $\frac{3}{4}$	2 9
July ...	13 10 0	19 $\frac{1}{2}$	13	13 $\frac{1}{4}$	11 $\frac{3}{8}$	1 6 $\frac{1}{2}$	1 9 $\frac{3}{8}$
August ...	14 3 3	19 $\frac{1}{2}$	13	13 $\frac{1}{4}$	11 $\frac{3}{8}$	1 1	1 3 $\frac{5}{8}$
September ...	9 15 9	19 $\frac{1}{2}$	13	13 $\frac{1}{4}$	11 $\frac{3}{8}$	1 1 $\frac{1}{8}$	1 2 $\frac{1}{4}$

\* Since the 25th March, 1916, the official f.o.b. price of wheat for flour for home consumption has been 4s. 10 $\frac{3}{4}$ d. per bushel. This includes 3 $\frac{1}{4}$ d. handling and commission charges; but city millers, handling grain for their own mills, obtain it for 1 $\frac{1}{4}$ d. per bushel less than the f.o.b. price, so that since that date the price of wheat for flour for home consumption has been 4s. 9d. per bushel (on trucks), Sydney. On 1st February 1919, the price was raised to 5s per bushel.

## No. 45.—Gold produced, January to September, 1919 and 1918.

Month.	1919.		1918.	
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.
	oz. fine.	£	oz. fine.	£
January to August ... ..	36,903	156,755	55,576	236,071
September ... ..	3,061	13,001	7,527	31,972
Total nine months (Jan.-Sept.) ...	39,964	169,756	63,103	268,043

## No. 46.—Quantity and Value of Minerals produced, 1917 and 1918.

Minerals.	1917.		1918.		Increase in Value.	Decrease in Value.
	Quantity.	Value.	Quantity.	Value.		
<b>Metallic—</b>		£		£	£	£
Gold ... .. oz. fine	82,171	349,038	87,045	369,743	20,705	.....
Silver ... .. "	1,782,004	328,241	2,007,037	419,498	91,257	.....
Silver—Lead, Ore, Con- centrates, &c. ... ton	234,881	4,165,324	295,045	4,711,669	546,345	.....
Lead—Pig, &c. ... .. "	20,817	616,531	21,922	608,342	.....	8,189
Zinc Spelter & Concentrates,,	113,531	441,486	87,019	295,413	.....	146,073
Tin Ingots and Ore ... .. "	2,072	373,696	1,890	548,876	175,180	.....
Copper, Matte, Ingots, and Ore ... .. "	6,576	814,154	6,510	696,580	.....	117,574
Antimony and Ore ... .. "	301	3,738	358	3,155	.....	583
Bismuth ... .. "	20	9,391	31	16,406	7,015	.....
Wolfram ... .. "	118	21,682	136	24,552	2,870	.....
Scheelite ... .. "	127	23,419	117	21,078	.....	2,341
Molybdenite ... .. "	70	31,608	93	41,850	10,242	.....
Platinum ... .. oz.	259	2,072	607	7,075	5,003	.....
Iron ... .. ton	45,025	247,637	68,072	350,000	102,363	.....
Iron Oxide ... .. "	1,431	1,267	2,153	2,255	988	.....
Ironstone Flux... .. "	4,482	3,498	6,322	6,388	2,890	.....
<b>Non-metallic—</b>						
Coal ... .. ton	8,292,867	4,422,740	9,063,176	4,941,807	519,067	.....
Coke ... .. "	455,587	541,093	608,492	647,798	106,705	.....
Kerosene Shale ... .. "	31,661	36,565	32,395	39,676	3,111	.....
Alunite ... .. "	1,788	10,728	3,406	17,030	6,302	.....
Limestone Flux ... .. "	74,440	25,746	103,644	44,608	18,862	.....
Marble ... .. —	.....	770	.....	2,415	1,645	.....
Diamonds ... .. carat	2,991	2,006	1,784	1,204	.....	802
Opal ... .. —	.....	12,522	... ..	20,600	8,078	.....
Sundry Minerals ... .. —	.....	79,521	.....	103,146	23,625	.....
Total ... .. £	.....	12,564,473	.....	13,941,164	1,376,691	.....

NOTE.—The above table does not include lime and Portland cement, valued at £388,246 and £478,188 respectively, in 1917 and 1918. Those items are included in the manufacturing returns.

## No. 47.—Value of Minerals Produced, and Total Miners Employed.

Year.	Gold.	Silver, Silver-lead, and Ore.	Copper.	Tin.	Coal.	Total Minerals Produced. *	Total Miners Employed.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	No.
1908	954,854	2,160,195	502,812	205,447	3,353,093	8,384,149	38,965
1909	869,546	1,653,615	424,737	211,029	2,618,596	7,403,210	36,405
1910	802,211	1,861,479	486,257	228,156	3,009,657	8,455,170	37,413
1911	769,353	2,442,764	590,102	307,089	3,167,165	9,409,519	37,017
1912	702,129	3,481,266	579,791	338,074	3,660,015	11,228,677	37,858
1913	635,703	3,808,125	598,733	421,292	3,770,375	11,651,407	38,880
1914	528,873	3,241,263	274,671	267,130	3,737,761	10,038,020	36,467
1915	562,819	2,631,662	234,437	266,780	3,424,630	9,603,230	31,411
1916	459,370	3,284,991	586,127	306,497	3,336,419	10,515,856	31,304
1917	319,038	4,493,565	814,154	373,696	4,422,740	12,564,473	32,817
1918	369,743	5,131,167	696,580	543,876	4,941,807	13,941,164	33,663

\* Exclusive of Lime and Portland Cement.

## No. 48.—Manufactories.

Year.	Establish- ments.	Persons Employed.			Value of Plant and Machinery.	Total Wages Paid.	Value of Output.
		Males.	Females.	Total.			
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£	£	£
1908	4,453	67,616	21,482	89,098	9,718,842	7,218,556	40,163,826
1909	4,581	69,184	22,518	91,702	10,330,724	7,665,125	42,960,689
1910	4,821	75,384	24,327	99,711	11,578,620	8,687,007	49,615,643
1911	5,039	82,083	26,541	108,624	12,510,600	10,047,662	54,346,011
1912	5,162	88,178	27,383	115,561	13,795,195	11,592,052	61,163,328
1913	5,346	93,036	27,364	120,400	14,861,676	12,683,384	65,672,495
1914-15	5,269	90,409	26,202	116,611	16,866,982	12,667,721	68,253,332
1915-16	5,210	87,724	28,677	116,401	18,211,104	13,413,845	70,989,864
1916-17	5,356	88,910	29,087	117,997	20,364,122	14,381,309	85,944,320
*1917-18	5,414	90,025	30,529	120,554	21,739,739	†14,701,255	96,178,191

\* See also Table 49.

† Of this amount, males received £12,848,017, and females £1,853,238.

## No. 49.—Manufacturing Industries, 1917-18.

Class of Industry.	Establishments.	Persons Employed.			Salaries and Wages.
		Males.	Females.	Total.	
	No.	No.	No.	No.	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	253	3,859	114	3,973	482,855
Oils and Fats—Animal, Vegetable, &c. ...	39	1,112	293	1,405	169,173
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c. ...	282	5,948	92	6,040	733,796
Working in Wood ... ..	670	7,299	111	7,410	937,607
Metal Works, Machinery, &c. ... ..	617	25,607	581	26,188	3,985,818
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	794	12,135	4,751	16,886	2,097,106
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Materials	998	7,218	19,181	26,399	2,145,362
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving ...	471	6,729	2,833	9,562	1,175,067
Musical Instruments, &c. ... ..	15	385	48	433	65,465
Arms and Explosives ... ..	5	1,191	1	1,192	227,096
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	459	4,128	171	4,299	492,075
Ship and Boat Building ... ..	35	3,604	15	3,619	560,358
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery ...	256	3,239	521	3,760	441,687
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products ...	120	1,325	885	2,210	238,733
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments...	16	115	47	162	18,965
Jewellery, Timepieces, and Platedware ...	50	622	106	728	97,782
Heat, Light, and Power ... ..	227	3,927	57	3,984	611,466
Leatherware, n.e.i. ... ..	29	464	259	723	68,507
Minor Wares, n.e.i. ... ..	78	1,118	403	1,581	152,336
<b>Total ... ..</b>	<b>5,414</b>	<b>90,025</b>	<b>30,529</b>	<b>120,554</b>	<b>14,701,255†</b>
	Value of Machinery, Implements, and Plant.	Value of Materials used.	Value of Fuel Consumed.	Value of Goods Manufactured or work done.	Value of Production, being value added to Raw Materials.
	£	£	£	£	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	527,326	7,809,944†	64,709	9,473,367	1,598,714
Oils and Fats—Animal, Vegetable, &c. ...	393,734	2,092,309	44,870	2,883,273	746,094
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c. ...	1,212,078	530,213	247,142	1,951,841	1,174,486
Working in Wood ... ..	916,340	2,508,794	32,273	4,044,311	1,503,274
Metal Works, Machinery, &c. ... ..	6,037,231	15,018,690	646,792	23,416,570	7,751,088
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	4,151,037	25,135,986	326,212	30,698,691	5,236,493
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Materials	652,447	4,791,680	54,529	8,393,314	3,457,105
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving ...	1,326,907	1,836,026	44,780	3,959,322	2,078,516
Musical Instruments, &c. ... ..	18,412	98,766	1,100	208,293	108,427
Arms and Explosives ... ..	142,148	145,976	3,650	372,342	222,716
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	193,994	532,205	17,672	1,267,346	717,469
Ship and Boat Building ... ..	1,354,372	335,228	15,430	967,571	616,913
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery ...	94,506	721,000	12,967	1,375,264	641,297
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products ...	369,914	1,459,744	21,819	2,412,794	940,231
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments...	7,701	18,692	239	59,723	40,792
Jewellery, Timepieces, and Platedware ...	27,962	124,396	1,975	261,468	135,097
Heat, Light, and Power ... ..	4,186,318	941,404	515,536	3,527,382	2,070,442
Leatherware, n.e.i. ... ..	15,105	255,495	1,537	384,632	127,600
Minor Wares, n.e.i. ... ..	112,207	371,178	6,844	610,657	232,635
<b>Total ... ..</b>	<b>£ 21,739,739</b>	<b>64,718,726</b>	<b>2,060,076</b>	<b>96,178,191</b>	<b>29,399,389*</b>

\* If £382,635, the value of production of articles already included in primary industries, be deducted, the total value of the production from the manufacturing industries is £29,016,754.

† Including value of wool treated.

‡ Of this amount, males received £12,848,017 and females £1,853,238.



## No. 50.—Manufactories—Value of Production, 1901-1918.

Class of Industry.	1901. (Census Year)	1911.	1915-16.	1916-17.	1917-18.
	£	£	£	£	£
Treating Raw Materials, Product of Pastoral Pursuits, &c.	337,739	649,759	929,520	1,215,284	1,598,714
Oils and Fats, &c. ... ..	160,718	266,094	380,501	457,979	746,094
Processes in Stone, Clay, Glass, &c. ...	422,272	1,083,972	1,234,212	1,138,343	1,174,486
Working in Wood ... ..	649,149	1,168,333	1,158,515	1,308,313	1,503,274
Metal Works, Machinery, &c. ... ..	2,443,432	4,864,882	7,127,261	7,475,868	7,751,088
Connected with Food, Drink, and Narcotics	2,237,369	3,463,455	4,041,122	4,332,062	4,853,858
Clothing and Textile Fabrics and Material	1,091,244	2,517,160	3,179,399	3,364,234	3,457,105
Books, Paper, Printing, and Engraving ...	950,771	1,440,173	1,783,919	1,930,581	2,078,516
Musical Instruments, &c. ... ..	22,309	76,596	78,570	91,263	108,427
Arms and Explosives ... ..	1,480	2,531	293,368	342,334	222,716
Vehicles and Fittings, Saddlery, Harness, &c.	266,016	607,307	668,784	657,831	717,469
Ship and Boat Building ... ..	148,800	370,490	590,082	697,099	616,913
Furniture, Bedding, and Upholstery ...	220,434	516,082	544,313	547,376	641,297
Drugs, Chemicals, and By-products ...	74,006	400,454	555,464	653,595	940,231
Surgical and other Scientific Instruments ..	17,304	19,172	23,104	31,420	40,792
Jewellery, Time-pieces, and Plated-ware ...	24,698	125,261	137,849	127,703	135,097
Heat, Light, and Power ... ..	624,567	1,373,532	1,861,874	2,035,332	2,070,442
Leatherware, n.e.i. ... ..	12,243	67,373	105,779	107,265	127,600
Minor Wares, n.e.i. ... ..	37,047	129,837	233,402	234,127	232,635
Total ... ..	£ 9,741,598	19,142,463	24,927,038	26,747,925	29,016,754

NOTE.—The value of production from factories dealing with milk products is omitted, as it has already been included in the returns of the Dairying Industry.

## No. 51.—Value of Production—Principal Industries—1891-1918.

The following figures represent the estimated Value of Production from the various Industries at the place of production. The figures are not exact, but are considered the best approximations from the data available.

(In thousands, 000 omitted.)

Year.	Pastoral.	Agricultural.	Mining.	Dairying.	Minor—Poultry, Bees, Rabbits.	Forests and Fisheries.	Total Primary Industries.	Manufacturing (Value added to raw materials).	Total All Industries.
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1891	14,725	3,615	6,434	2,735	*	758	28,267	7,799	36,066
1896	11,774	5,374	4,465	2,546	*	715	24,874	7,302	32,176
1897	11,823	6,250	4,616	2,653	*	750	26,092	8,079	34,171
1898	13,219	4,875	4,756	2,758	*	800	26,408	8,425	34,833
1899	14,527	5,609	5,960	2,543	*	639	29,278	9,207	38,485
1900	13,707	5,856	6,362	3,617	*	796	30,338	9,656	39,994
1901	12,552	7,060	5,681	3,046	*	733	29,072	9,742	38,814
1902	10,731	4,139	5,102	3,403	*	695	24,070	10,000	34,070
1903	12,777	8,359	5,958	3,276	*	779	31,149	9,601	40,750
1904	13,373	5,414	6,243	2,753	799	900	29,482	9,899	39,381
1905	17,113	6,543	6,897	3,123	1,228	1,190	36,094	10,631	46,725
1906	19,743	7,518	7,913	3,425	1,693	1,536	41,828	11,906	53,734
1907	22,281	6,588	10,295	3,567	1,708	1,382	45,821	13,481	59,302
1908 <sup>a</sup>	18,846	8,319	8,384	4,064	1,732	1,165	42,510	13,633	56,143
1909	19,040	10,908	7,403	3,983	1,990	1,096	44,420	14,536	58,956
1910	21,028	9,493	8,455	4,796	2,119	1,108	46,999	16,794	63,793
1911	19,434	9,749	9,410	5,215	2,055	1,195	47,058	19,143	66,201
1912	19,440	11,817	11,229	5,758	2,089	1,303	51,636	22,464	74,100
1913	20,738	12,378	11,651	5,455	2,416	1,400	54,038	23,482	77,520
1914-15	18,848	10,031	9,603	6,231	2,301	1,307	48,321	24,011	72,332
1915-16	21,576	20,362	10,516	5,473	3,215	1,370	62,512	24,927	87,439
1916-17	26,842	11,488	12,564	7,478	3,395	1,282	63,049	26,748	89,797
1917-18	28,435	13,685	13,941	8,480	4,144	1,400	70,085	29,017	99,102

\* Prior to 1904 included with the Dairying Industry.

## No. 52.—Education.

Year.	Public Schools.				Private Schools.		
	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars.	Expenditure by State on Education.	Schools.	Teachers.	Scholars.
				£			
1908	3,002	6,012	214,495	1,085,020	792	3,501	57,111
1909	3,075	6,176	213,739	1,109,939	789	3,633	58,361
1910	3,105	6,262	214,776	1,191,713	774	3,602	59,247
1911	3,125	6,517	221,810	1,242,576	756	3,659	60,963
1912	3,234	7,048	228,529	1,589,986	754	3,673	61,744
1913	3,285	7,261	241,784	1,686,155	733	3,593	64,591
1914	3,258	7,404	252,697	1,721,441	717	3,674	64,577
1915	3,254	7,890	258,017	1,686,882	718	3,682	64,863
1916	3,188	8,369	264,713	1,860,518	701	3,678	67,704
1917	3,221	8,759	277,874	1,899,333	659	3,707	68,516
1918	3,152	8,523	280,236	2,016,038	698	3,806	73,560

## No. 53.—Posts, Telegraphs, and Telephones.

Year.	Post Offices open.	Letters and Letter Cards carried.	Post Cards carried.	Newspapers carried.	Packets, Books, and Parcels carried.	Miles of Telegraph and Telephone Line.	Telegrams transmitted.	Telephone Line Connections.
1908	2,368	134,684,520	14,969,312	50,461,252	38,330,311	16,338	5,149,763	22,414
1909	2,397	139,058,694	12,511,546	56,002,764	38,849,363	17,087	5,177,962	25,682
1910	2,437	151,315,512	12,438,544	66,963,559	40,609,036	17,615	5,607,178	30,117
1911	2,490	*189,656,401		71,619,194	38,032,322	18,253	5,863,560	34,551
1912	2,559	*192,996,376		68,696,648	34,755,556	18,268	6,364,990	38,900
1913	2,596	*212,639,659		64,874,811	40,902,342	19,254	6,573,667	43,845
1914	2,623	*217,907,644		66,216,699	36,576,538	20,828	6,703,019	49,040
1915-16	2,640	*219,525,661		72,067,335	35,881,119	†	7,027,034	51,905
1916-17	2,588	*259,185,729		68,546,782	31,136,805	†	7,152,913	57,553
1917-18	2,579	*255,177,316		62,320,777	27,767,569	†	7,598,417	62,123

\* Includes all articles registered.

† Not available.

## No. 54.—Average Retail Prices of Food—Sydney.

Article.	Unit.	1919.								1918.	1917.		
		April.		May.		June.		July.		August.	Sept.	Sept.	Sept.
		s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.	s.	d.
Bread ... ..	2-lb. loaf.	0	4 2	0	4 2	0	4 2	0	4 2	0	4 2	0	4
Flour ... ..	25-lb. bag.	3	9	3	9	3	9	3	9 2	3	9 5	3	7 5
„ self-raising ...	2 lb.	0	7 2	0	7 2	0	7 2	0	7 2	0	7 2	0	6
Tea ... ..	lb.	1	7	1	7	1	7	1	7	1	7	1	6 2
Coffee and Chicory ...	„	1	6	1	6	1	7 5	1	8 5	1	8 5	1	6
Cocoa ... ..	½ lb.	0	8 2	0	8 2	0	8 2	0	8 3	0	8 3	0	5 6
Sugar (small quantities)	lb.	0	3 5	0	3 5	0	3 5	0	3 5	0	3 5	0	3 5
Rice ... ..	„	0	3 4	0	3 4	0	6 5	0	6 5	0	6 5	0	3 4
Sago ... ..	„	0	4 7	0	4 7	0	4 7	0	5 4	0	5 7	0	4 4
Jam (Australian) ...	„	0	5 7	0	5 7	0	5 7	0	6 1	0	6 1	0	5 6
Oatmeal ... ..	5 lb. bag.	1	11	1	11	1	11	1	11	1	11	1	1 4
Raisins ... ..	lb.	0	8 7	0	8 7	0	8 7	0	8 7	0	8 6	0	7 7
Currants ... ..	„	0	9	0	9	0	9	0	9	0	8 7	0	8 2
Starch ... ..	„	0	7	0	7	0	7 6	0	7 7	0	7 7	0	6 7
Blue ... ..	doz. sqs.	1	5	1	5	1	5	1	5	1	5	1	9 6
Candles ... ..	lb.	0	10 6	0	10 6	0	10 9	0	11 2	1	0 2	0	9 5
Soap ... ..	„	0	4 6	0	4 6	0	4 7	0	5 5	0	6	0	4 6
Potatoes ... ..	14 lb.	2	2 8	2	2 7	2	2 3	2	3 1	2	7 5	2	5 8
Onions ... ..	lb.	0	2 2	0	2 4	0	2 6	0	3 5	0	3 2	0	4
Kerosene ... ..	gallon.	2	3 5	2	3 5	2	3 5	2	3 5	2	3 5	2	3 5
Milk ... ..	quart.	0	7	0	7	0	7	0	7	0	7	0	6
Butter ... ..	lb.	1	9 7	1	9 7	1	9 7	1	9 9	1	10 3	1	7 7
Cheese (new & matured)	„	1	4	1	4	1	4	1	4	1	4	1	2
Eggs, new laid ...	doz.	2	9 1	3	2 6	3	1 5	2	1 2	1	5 7	1	1 5
„ fresh ... ..	„	2	6 1	2	11 6	2	10 5	1	10 2	1	2 7	0	11 1
Bacon (middle cut) ...	lb.	1	5 7	1	5 7	1	5 7	1	5 7	1	5 7	1	4 1
„ (shoulder) ...	„	1	1 5	1	1 5	1	1 5	1	1 5	1	1 5	0	10 8
Ham ... ..	„	1	7 1	1	7 3	1	7 2	1	7 2	1	7 3	1	5 3
Beef, fresh—Sirloin ...	„	0	11 5	0	11 5	0	11 5	0	11 5	0	11	0	10 5
„ Ribs ... ..	„	0	9 8	0	9 7	0	9 7	0	9 7	0	9 5	0	9 2
„ Gravy ... ..	„	0	6 2	0	6 5	0	6 5	0	6 5	0	6 5	0	6
Steak—Rump ... ..	„	1	5	1	5	1	5	1	5	1	4 2	1	3 5
„ Shoulder ... ..	„	0	9	0	9	0	9	0	9	0	9	0	8 2
Beef (corned round) ...	„	0	10	0	10	0	10	0	10	0	9 8	0	9 5
Mutton—Leg ... ..	„	0	7 7	0	7 7	0	7 7	0	8 2	0	7 9	0	7 7
„ Shoulder ... ..	„	0	6 5	0	6 5	0	6 5	0	6 9	0	6 6	0	6 5
„ Loin ... ..	„	0	9	0	9	0	9	0	9	0	8 9	0	8 7
„ Neck ... ..	„	0	7 5	0	7 5	0	7 5	0	7 5	0	7 2	0	7 2
Chops—Loin ... ..	„	0	10 5	0	10 5	0	10 5	0	10 5	0	10 5	0	10 5
„ Leg ... ..	„	0	9 2	0	9 5	0	9 2	0	9 5	0	9 2	0	9
„ Neck ... ..	„	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	7 7	0	7 7
Lamb—Forequarter ...	„	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	8	0	7
„ Hindquarter ...	„	0	9 7	0	9 7	0	9 7	0	9 7	0	9 7	0	9 5
Pork, fresh—Leg ...	„	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	0	1	1 2	1	2
„ Chops ... ..	„	1	1 2	1	1 2	1	1 2	1	1 2	1	2 6	1	3

NOTE.—Prices of Groceries represent the predominant rates ruling about the 15th of each month.

## No. 55.—Rates of Wages.

(September, 1919.)

- Aerated Water Factory Hands, adult males, 60/6 per week; adult females, 32/6 per week.
- Bakers (bread)—70/- to 75/- per week; (apprentices), 12/6 to 37/6 per week; (biscuit factories), 67/- to 74/6 per week.
- Blacksmiths, 1/9½ per hour.
- Boilermakers—1/9½ per hour, 1d. per hour additional, dirt money.
- Bookbinders, 70/- per week.
- Boot & Shoe makers—Male, 1/6 per hr.; females, 34/- to 42/- per week.
- Brass Finishers (general), 1/7½ per hour; (engineering), 1/9½ per hour.
- Bread-carters (42 to 54 hrs per w'k), 70/- per w'k.
- Bricklayers, 1/9 per hour.
- Brick-carters, 1 horse, 60/- per week; 2 horses, 65/- per week; 3 horses, 69/-; 4 horses, 73/-; 4/- per week extra for each additional horse.
- Brickmakers—
- Burners, 12/- per shift; machine men, 1/5½ per hr.; setter, 1/6½ per hr.; pitmen, 1/6½ per hr.
- Brushmakers—Male, 1/8 per hour, or 77/6 per week; females, 1d. per hour or 36/- per week; or piece-work rates.
- Butchers—Shopman, 70/-; carter, 60/-
- Slaughtermen—Mutton, 33/- per hundred; Beef, £5 per week; Pork, £5 per week.
- Carpenters and Joiners, 1/8 per hour.
- Cabinetmakers, 79/- per week.
- Chairmakers, 79/- per week.
- Cigarmakers, 2/9 to 8/6 per 100, acc'dg to shape.
- Clerks—Males, 63/-; females, 35/- per week.
- " Junior (16 to 23 years)—Males, 12/6 to 63/-; females, 12/6 to 35/- per week.
- Coach-painters, 1/4½ per hour.
- Coachsmiths, 1/4½ per hour.
- Coal and coke lumpers, 2/- per hour, day work; 3/- per hour, night work.
- Compositors (hand)—Journemen, 73/6 per week.
- " " Piecework, 1/2½ to 1/3½ per 1,000 ens.
- Compositors (machine)—Linotype (newspapers), (piece rate) 3½d., (jobbing), 3½d. per 1,000 ens.
- " " Operators, 1/8 to 1/9 per hour.
- Coppersmiths, 1/9½ per hour.
- Drapers. (See "Shop Assistants.")
- Dressmakers, 27/6 to 35/- per week.
- Electricians—Mechanics, 1/8½ per hour; Fitters, 1/10½ per hour.
- Engine-drivers (staty., &c.), 1/4¾ to 1/8 per hour.
- Firemen " 1/3½ to 1/4¾ per hr.
- Farriers—Firemen, 80/- per week.
- Floormen, 75/-
- Fitters, Turners (Engineering) 1/9½ per hour.
- French-polishers, 79/- per week.
- Grocers. (See "Shop Assistants.")
- Hairdressers (49½ hours per week), 70/-.
- Hotel, Club, Restaurant, Tea Room Employees—
- Cooks (male), 60/- to 81/- per week.
- Cooks (female), 41/- to 62/4 per week.
- Waiters, 60/- per week.
- Waitresses, 18/6 to 41/3 per week.
- Barmen, 60/- per week.
- Barmains, 43/- per week.
- Storemen, 60/- to 69/- per week.
- Kitchenmen, 60/- per week.
- Ironmongers. (See "Shop Assistants")
- Ironworkers, 1/6½ per hour.
- Jam Factory Workers—
- Males, adults, 61/-; boys, 22/6 to 40/- per week, according to age.
- Females, adults, 26/-; girls, 20/-; female fillers, 28/- and 37/- per week.
- Labourers—Builders', 1/4 to 1/6; General, 1/3 to 1/6 per hour.
- Letter-press Machinists, 63/6 and 70/- per wk.
- Lithographers, 77/6 and 82/6 per week.
- Marble-workers, 1/6 and 1/8 per hour.
- Masons and Stone-cutters, 2/0½ per hour.
- Navvies, 1/4¾ per hour.
- Painters (General), 1/7½ per hour.
- Patternmakers, 1/10½ per hour
- Plasterers, 1/9 per hour.
- Plumbers, 1/8 per hour.
- Quarrymen, 1/11 per hour.
- Saw-mill Employees—Machinists, 61/6 to 75/-; Saw Sharpeners, 72/-; Sawyers, 60/6 to 72/- per week.
- Shop Assistants (Metropolitan) Grocers, Tobacco-nists, &c., Males, 10/- to 65/-; Females, 7/6 to 43/9 according to age.
- Shop Assistants (Metropolitan) Drapers, Iron-mongers, &c., adults—Males, 57/- to 66/6 per week. Females, 27/6 to 38/6 per week.
- Slaters and Tilers, 1/9 per hour.
- Stevadores—Foremen, £4 and £5 per week.
- Storemen, per week—Wharf, 69/-; Wool, 62/- to 67/6; Bonded Store, 60/-; Hardware, 63/- to 95/-; Packer, 66/-; Softgoods (Wholesale) Storemen, 65/- to 95/-; Packer, 68/- to 95/-; Wine and Spirit Storemen, 56/6; Drug Stores (Wholesale) Storemen, 63/-; Packers, 60/- to 64/6; Grocers (Wholesale) Storemen 62/- to 88/6; Packers, 63/6 to 88/6; Tobacconists (Wholesale) Storemen 63/- to 92/6; Packers, 64/6 to 92/6; Storemen, n.e.i. 63/- to 73/-; Packers, n.e.i. 64/5. Produce, Grain, and Seed Stores (Wholesale)—Storemen and Packers, 64/6 to 85/6 per week; do. (Retail) 65/6 to 71/6
- Tailors—Journemen, 65/- to 82/6 per week, or log rates.
- " Cutters, 72/6 and 82/6 per week.
- " Pressers, 64/- per week.
- " Piece-work—log rates.
- Tailoresses (coat hands), order, 29/6 to 40/- per week.
- " (trousers hands), order, 28/- to 34/- p. wk.
- " Ready-made clothing for men—
- Journeywomen on coats, 29/6 p. wk.
- Journeywomen on trousers and vests, 28/- per week.
- " Piece-work—log rates.
- Textile Workers, Adults—Males, 60/-; Females, 33/3.
- Tinsmiths, 1/6½ per hour.
- Trolly and Draymen—
- Timber-carters, 1 horse, 66/-; 2 horses, 71/-; 3 horses, 74/6; 4 horses, 78/- per week.
- Casual Drivers—1 horse, 12/7 per day, with 1/- per day extra for each additional horse.
- Tip-carters, 1 horse, 60/- to 62/6; 2 horses, 65/- to 67/6 per week; 8d. per day extra for each additional horse.
- Wood and Coal Carters—1 horse, 66/6 per week; 2 horses, 71/6 per week; 3/- per week for each extra horse.
- Upholsterers, 79/- per week.
- Wharf Labourers—Casual employees, 1/9 per hour; constant or weekly hands, 61/6 per week.
- Wheelwrights, 1/4¾ per hour.



**No. 55.—Rates of Wages—continued.**  
(September, 1919.)

*Coal Miners.*

The employees in the Coal-mines in New South Wales work under Agreements or Awards. The rate paid to miners varies according to the selling price of coal per ton ruling at the time, also according to the conditions of the seams or places where the coal is mined.

*Coal-mines, Northern District—*

Miners,  $3/5\frac{2}{5}$  to  $5/2\frac{1}{10}$  per ton.  
 „ coal-cutting machines, 13/11 to 15/6 per day.  
 „ Assistants, 10/11 per day.  
 Deputies, 16/- to 16/6 per day.  
 Shot-firers, 15/- to 15/6 per day.  
 Waste-examiners, 15/- to 15/6 per day.  
 Engine-drivers—  
 Winding and loco. engines, 14/5 per day.  
 Other engines, 12/- to 14/5 per day.  
 Shiftmen, 10/11 to 15/6 per day.  
 Wheelers, 10/6 to 11/8 per day.  
 Flatters, 10/11 per day.  
 Water-bailers, 10/11 per day.  
 Hand-pumpers, 10/11 per day.  
 Set riders, 10/11 and 11/5 per day.  
 Rolleyway men, 10/11 per day.  
 Roadlayers, 11/4 to 13/2 per day.  
 Waggon packers, 10/11 per day.  
 Banksmen, 12/7 per day.  
 Shunters, 10/11 per day.  
 Screenmen, 10/11 per day.  
 Labourers, 10/11 to 11/5 per day.  
 Boys and Youths, 4/4 to 10/8 per day.

*Coal-mines, Southern District—*

Miners,  $2/9\frac{3}{4}$  per ton.  
 Overmen (underground), £5 to £6 ros. per week.  
 Deputy Overmen, £4 17s. 6d. per week.  
 Shot-firers, 15/- per day.  
 Shiftmen, 14/1 per day.  
 Onsetters, 12/6 per day.  
 Banksmen, 12/2½ per day.  
 Screenmen, 10/11 per day.  
 Mechanics, 12/7½ to 15/4 per day.  
 Engineers, 12/6 to 16/8 per day.  
 Engine-drivers—Winding, 14/5 per day.  
 „ Haulage, 13/2 per day.  
 Stokers and firemen, 10/11 to 12/- per day.  
 Locomotive engine-drivers, 14/5 per day.  
 „ „ stokers, 12/- per day.  
 Platelayers, 10/11 per day.  
 Furnaceman, 10/11 per day.  
 Harness-makers, 11/6 per day.  
 Wheelers, 12/- per day.  
 Water-bailers, 12/- per day.  
 Stablemen, 10/11 per day.  
 Labourers, 10/11 per day.  
 Flatters, 12/- per day.  
 Trappers, 4/4 per day.  
 Boys, 5/4 per day.

*Interstate and Intercolonial Steamers (per month).*

Officers, chief, £15 to £26; 2nd, £13 to £23; 3rd, £14 to £20.	Engineers, chief, £25/6/- to £39/2/-; 2nd, £20/2/6 to £25/6/-; 3rd, £17/16/6 to £20/14/-
Firemen, £13.	Able Seamen, £11.
Trimmers, £11.	„ „ (sailing ships), £8 to £12.

*Coastal (New South Wales) Steamers (per month).*

Officers, Chief, £17 to £23; 2nd, £15 to £19.	Able Seamen and Trimmers, £11 to £12/5/-
Engineers, £18 to £34/10/-	(sailing ship), £7.
Firemen, £13 to £14/1/8.	Cooks, £9 to £14/15/-
Donkeymen, £10 to £11.	Stewards (Chief), £13 to £14/15/-

*Farm and Station Hands (with rations and lodging), per week or per year.*

Boundary Riders, 40/-	Horse-team Drivers, 42/-
Bullock Drivers, 42/-	Married Couples—
Bush Carpenters, 35/- to 48/-	When wife cooks, £110 to £150.
Cooks (station), male 42/- to 72/-, female 30/- to 42/-	Rouseabouts, 20/- to 42/-
Country Blacksmiths—	Orchard Hands, 20/- to 30/-
Station, 35/-	Shearers (per 100 sheep), no rations, 30/-
General (without rations), 50/- to 60/-	Stockmen, 30/- to 48/-
Milkers, 36/6.	Useful Boys, 15/- to 20/- (age under 18 to 21).
Farm Labourers, 30/- to 40/-	Vignerons, £52 to £55.
Harvest Hands, accdg. to experience, 7/- to 12/- per day.	Rabbiters, minimum, 3d. to 8d. per pair; present rate 1/3 per pair.

*Domestic Servants (with board and lodging), per week.*

Cooks (Females)—	General Servant's (aged 18 years and upwards), 20/- to 30/-
Station, 35/- to 48/-	Nursemaids (aged 15 to 20 years), 20/- to 25/-
Private house, 25/- to 63/-	Useful Girls (aged 15 to 18 years), 8/- to 15/-
Boarding-house, 25/- to 63/-	Gardeners, 25/- to 48/-
Cook and Laundress, 20/- to 35/-	Grooms and Coachmen, 25/- to 48/-
House and Parlour Maid, 20/- to 30/-	

## No. 56.—Meteorology.

District.	September, 1919.					September— (Mean, 1909-1919).			Mean annual— All previous years.	
	Temperature.			Rain- fall.	Number of days Rain.	Mean Temper- ature.	Rain- fall.	Number of days Rain.	Temper- ature.	Rain- fall.
	Mean.	Mean Max.	Mean Min.							
	deg. (Fahr.)	deg. (Fahr.)	deg. (Fahr.)	inches.		deg. (Fahr.)	inches.		deg. (Fahr.)	inches.
North Coast—										
Grafton .. ...	64·3	79·7	48·9	0·14	3	64·2	1·91	6	67·5	34·73
Hunter and Manning—										
Singleton... ..	...	...	...	2·87	4	...	2·07	5	64·1	29·00
Metropolitan—										
Sydney ... ..	61·5	71·7	51·3	3·98	11	59·7	3·10	11	63·0	48·02
South Coast—										
Bega ... ..	56·7	69·8	43·5	1·14	7	56·5	3·04	6	60·5	32·83
Northern Tableland—										
Armidale ... ..	51·8	66·5	37·2	0·60	6	51·7	1·56	6	56·3	32·58
Central Tableland—										
Bathurst... ..	52·5	68·2	36·7	1·59	8	52·2	1·43	7	57·2	23·88
Southern Tableland—										
Goulburn ... ..	51·3	63·3	39·4	1·69	8	51·2	2·01	8	56·1	24·97
North-western Slope—										
Gunnedah ... ..	60·0	76·7	43·4	0·23	4	59·1	1·33	5	65·4	24·51
Central-western Slope—										
Dubbo ... ..	57·0	72·6	41·4	0·36	4	56·4	1·21	6	63·5	22·40
South-western Slope—										
Wagga ... ..	59·9	71·1	48·7	1·22	8	54·9	1·97	8	62·1	21·51
North-western Plain—										
Moree ... ..	63·3	79·7	46·9	0·10	2	61·9	1·16	3	67·3	23·48
Central-western Plain—										
Coonamble ... ..	63·4	79·5	47·4	0·33	3	59·4	0·93	4	65·9	19·73
Riverina—										
Deniliquin ... ..	58·3	69·7	46·8	1·42	6	56·3	1·72	8	61·7	16·23

## No. 57.—New Buildings erected in Metropolis—Annual.

Year.	Returns of Board of Water Supply and Sewerage.		Municipal Returns.			
	Buildings erected and assessed.	Cost of Buildings, including additions to old Buildings.	Buildings for which permission to build was granted.	Estimated Cost of New Buildings.	Estimated Cost of Alter- ations and Additions.	Total Cost, Buildings, Alterations, and Additions.
	No.	£	No.	£	£	£
1912	7,773	5,067,000	8,339	4,988,000	636,000	5,624,000
1913	7,853	5,919,000	9,342	6,512,000	815,000	7,327,000
1914	8,831	6,162,000	8,548	5,236,000	586,000	5,822,000
1915	6,141	4,664,000	6,066	3,850,000	548,000	4,398,000
1916	5,043	4,037,000	5,051	3,395,000	519,000	3,914,000
1917	4,331	3,184,000	4,811	3,150,000	341,000	3,491,000
1918	4,047	3,256,000	4,954	3,822,000	461,000	4,283,000
1919 (6 months)	2,193	2,036,632	2,909	2,927,000	323,000	3,250,000

## No. 58.—New Buildings—Metropolis—Monthly.

Month.	1919.			1918.		
	City.	Suburbs.		City.	Suburbs.	
		No.	Value.		No.	Value.
		No.	£		No.	£
January	16	415	303,481	7	377	229,700
February	11	445	303,241	6	360	230,199
March	16	467	310,917	4	419	280,501
April	9	502	373,678	7	359	213,974
May	9	561	385,754	6	476	318,857
June	30	428	339,854	7	413	266,709
July	10	583	424,676	7	464	309,585
August	12	668	517,070	4	443	333,026
September	11	709	538,048	7	43	274,667
Total (9 months) ... ..	124	4,778	3,526,719	55	3,744	2,457,213

## No. 59.—New Buildings—Metropolis.

NUMBER and Value of New Buildings and of Alterations and Additions in each Municipality during the nine months, January to September, 1919 and 1918.

Municipality.	Estimated Population 31st December, 1918.	New Buildings (to erect which permission granted), January to September.				Alterations and Additions, January to September.			
		1919.		1918.		1919.		1918.	
		No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.	No.	Value.
City of Sydney	106,000	124	£ *	55	£ *	320	£ *	403	£ *
Alexandria ...	11,490	23	19,379	20	32,504	21	2,265	26	2,740
Annandale ...	12,560	17	12,820	16	7,325	20	3,020	19	3,515
Ashfield ...	29,260	200	137,421	193	125,351	160	12,973	144	9,081
Balmain ...	33,460	16	7,140	14	7,910	42	3,140	34	2,029
Bexley ...	11,590	149	86,550	111	58,465	52	5,435	25	3,045
Botany ...	5,800	19	10,384	14	25,160	34	7,555	48	7,688
Burwood ...	13,520	87	71,322	128	80,886	59	4,185	64	12,236
Canterbury ...	28,280	439	243,859	399	189,320	176	10,856	146	9,823
Concord ...	7,430	213	149,012	158	98,316	74	5,771	76	12,626
Darlington ...	3,840	2	620	Nil.	...	1	400	3	325
Drummoyne ...	14,580	218	147,201	121	76,932	60	5,152	38	2,980
Eastwood ...	1,560	27	17,400	15	8,425	2	250	Nil.	...
Enfield ...	6,250	104	60,365	55	33,936	37	1,760	44	1,535
Erskineville ...	7,670	5	3,725	1	150	1	50	7	525
Glebe ...	22,720	15	15,141	11	2,908	23	5,446	8	1,216
Homebush ...	1,220	29	16,890	12	7,210	10	338	9	203
Hunter's Hill ...	6,040	37	26,250	30	16,300	18	5,545	18	4,280
Hurstville ...	11,360	130	61,818	96	40,873	63	4,918	56	5,638
Kogarah ...	13,640	176	95,078	152	79,397	71	3,328	79	5,469
Lane Cove ...	5,340	109	75,031	58	35,894	53	9,705	34	16,056
Leichhardt ...	28,240	53	38,010	69	35,466	51	3,328	87	6,964
Manly ...	14,440	110	119,651	72	82,606	Nil.	...	Nil.	...
Marrickville ...	38,260	107	63,693	95	65,200	44	7,396	47	3,085
Mascot ...	9,100	37	20,285	22	20,505	39	1,514	36	2,708
Mosman ...	17,610	105	115,155	83	78,100	69	12,645	44	11,010
Newtown ...	27,910	16	5,110	12	7,392	19	3,710	43	7,533
North Sydney ...	41,830	129	157,096	114	105,853	153	29,483	131	24,017
Paddington ...	25,890	10	6,360	14	8,650	13	2,186	18	2,244
Petersham ...	24,200	72	49,620	53	28,715	37	4,022	38	5,295
Randwick ...	35,800	557	420,311	450	304,516	219	75,359	121	16,346
Redfern ...	25,030	11	13,250	2	1,550	23	6,740	26	5,240
Rockdale ...	20,900	213	115,029	142	68,142	75	2,401	94	2,642
Ryde ...	10,420	163	105,798	133	73,475	29	1,640	20	4,272
St. Peters ...	10,840	20	7,416	22	10,095	14	1,279	18	1,085
Strathfield ...	5,950	82	66,500	35	23,490	46	2,408	34	5,053
Vaucluse ...	2,770	46	49,990	31	32,932	17	1,430	25	2,011
Waterloo ...	11,250	22	81,109	27	52,227	13	2,975	21	2,448
Waverley ...	29,250	261	204,028	208	124,342	134	23,135	76	14,797
Willoughby ...	22,580	386	255,857	243	153,690	172	11,259	38	3,607
Woollahra ...	21,260	163	189,315	141	138,785	120	52,532	117	29,978
Ku-ring-gai Shire ...	15,560	200	185,100	172	114,225	130	17,812	141	11,009
Total Suburbs ...	686,700	4,778	3,526,719	3,744	2,457,218	2,394	355,346	2,053	262,354
Total City of Sydney	106,000	124	*	55	*	320	*	403	*
Grand Total ...	792,700	4,902	*	3,799	*	2,714	*	2,456	*

\* Information is not available.

NOTE.—During the month of September, 1919, the number of new buildings erected was 720, viz., 11 in the City and 709 in the Suburbs. The largest numbers were:—Randwick, 80; Canterbury, 68; Willoughby, 59; Waverley, 40; Ashfield, 35; Drummoyne and Rockdale, 3 each.

## No. 60—Local Government, 1907 and 1917

(Particulars of Municipalities and Shires).

Local Areas.	Area.	Population	Unimproved Capital Value (000's omitted).	Improved Capital Value (000's omitted).	* Assessed Annual Value (000's omitted).	Revenue.		Expenditure	
						From Rates.	Total.	On Works.	Total.
	acres.		£	£	£	£	£	£	£
City of Sydney { 1907	2,892	118,370	20,208	45,750	2,323	193,053	339,619	275,659	398,330
{ 1917	3,327	106,000	31,130	81,976	3,534	456,612	1,161,406	544,643	1,228,187
Suburbs ... { 1907	92,367	458,810	19,583	57,578	3,726	252,030	320,990	230,859	327,152
{ 1917	91,932	656,480	36,809	101,494	7,400	669,550	899,375	713,924	872,942
Total { 1907	95,259	577,180	39,791	103,328	6,049	445,083	660,609	506,518	725,482
Metropolitan { 1917	95,259	762,480	67,939	183,470	10,934	1,126,162	2,060,781	1,258,567	2,101,129
Country—									
Newcastle and { 1907	18,979	55,730	3,165	6,867	413	30,343	48,586	38,526	56,735
Suburbs { 1917	18,979	59,600	3,520	9,549	620	57,482	128,558	77,968	107,610
Other Country { 1907	1,805,659	356,170	11,711	34,801	2,378	254,636	386,655	288,447	389,939
Municipalities { 1917	1,723,296	394,200	20,831	52,506	3,873	459,334	935,925	613,405	860,489
Total Country { 1907	1,824,638	411,900	14,876	41,668	2,791	284,979	435,241	326,973	446,674
Municipalities { 1917	1,742,275	453,800	24,351	62,055	4,493	516,816	1,064,483	691,373	968,099
Total { 1907	1,919,897	989,080	54,667	144,996	8,840	730,062	1,095,850	833,491	1,172,156
Municipalities { 1917	1,837,534	1,216,280	92,290	245,525	15,427	1,642,978	3,125,264	1,949,940	3,069,228
Shires ... { 1907	114,643,200	521,430	81,527	†...	†...	287,635	535,659	249,608	385,605
{ 1917	115,621,120	658,880	107,695	†...	†...	691,090	1,112,523	1,000,983	1,140,727
Total, all { 1907	116,563,097	1,510,510	136,194	†...	†...	1,017,697	1,631,509	1,083,099	1,557,761
Local Areas { 1917	117,458,654	1,875,160	199,985	†...	†...	2,334,068	4,237,787	2,950,923	4,209,955

NOTE.—The area unincorporated at 31st December, 1917, was 81,179,426 acres, the population of which was 13,969.

\* Equal to nine-tenths of Annual Rental Value. † Not available.

## No. 61.—Local Government, 1907–1917.

Year.	Municipalities (including City of Sydney).				Shires.			
	Unimproved Capital Value (000's omitted).	Revenue.		Total Expenditure.	Unimproved Capital Value (000's omitted).	Revenue.		Total Expenditure.
		From Rates.	Total.			From Rates.	Total.	
	£	£	£	£	£	£	£	£
1907	54,667	730,062	1,095,850	1,172,156	81,527	287,635	535,659	385,605
1908	64,183	815,914	1,405,780	1,314,544	82,415	370,573	626,868	656,219
1909	63,255	930,895	1,650,642	1,424,767	83,464	376,897	717,144	676,784
1910	63,529	958,611	1,705,211	1,701,996	89,936	423,477	794,374	753,150
1911	69,844	1,066,787	1,898,447	1,800,428	94,190	469,625	881,030	832,206
1912	72,276	1,144,644	2,129,928	2,081,434	97,661	524,485	999,498	933,325
1913	72,885	1,282,500	2,509,605	2,340,558	99,452	572,892	836,511	886,090
1914	81,949	1,488,364	2,734,952	2,495,139	103,451	623,690	1,044,992	996,471
1915	83,473	1,541,396	2,902,562	2,738,836	104,746	626,514	1,066,121	1,018,870
1916	89,267	1,639,091	3,088,062	2,898,005	105,698	651,437	1,093,023	1,078,897
1917	92,290	1,642,978	3,125,264	3,069,228	107,695	691,090	1,112,523	1,140,727



## No. 62.—Crown Lands Selections, 1919.

The following statements show—(first) the Land Selected and (second) the Area made available for Residential Settlement during the month of September, 1919, and during the period from 1st January to 30th September, 1919:—

## LANDS SELECTED UNDER THE CROWN LANDS ACT AND CLOSER SETTLEMENT ACTS.

Description of Holding.	During September, 1919.		1st January to 30th September, 1919.	
	Applicants.	Area.	Applicants.	Area.
ORIGINAL HOLDINGS.				
Original Conditional Purchases .. .. .	No. 23	Acres. 3,953	No. 210	Acres. 31,879
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	1	120	1	120
Conditional Leases applied for simultaneously with and in virtue of these O.C. Purchases .. .. .	(12)	5,138	(85)	28,763
Crown Leases—ordinary .. .. .	42	5,242	447	795,973
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	2	2,034	53	126,572
Homestead Farms—ordinary .. .. .	18	29,515	154	156,607
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	22	27,548	188	255,610
Suburban Holdings—ordinary .. .. .	15	366	157	2,760
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	1	1
Settlement Purchases (Closer Settlement Acts) .. .. .	2	1,290	6	5,272
"    "    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	1	490	4	3,010
Irrigation Farms .. .. .	4	311	45	3,984
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	21	1,166	55	2,788
Town Blocks (without residence) within an Irrigation Area .. .. .	20	3	60	10
Week-end Leases .. .. .	...	...	20	185
Leases of Town Lands .. .. .	...	...	...	...
Special Holdings for returned soldiers .. .. .	8	454	123	9,003
Homestead Selections .. .. .	1	73	2	529
Special Conditional Purchase Lease .. .. .	...	...	3	340
Total .. .. .	180	123,723	1,534	1,333,411
ADDITIONAL HOLDINGS.				
Additional Conditional Purchases (Crown Lands) .. .. .	31	7,070	242	44,546
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	4	1,672
Conditional Leases not applied for simultaneously with O.C. Purchases .. .. .	40	16,688	261	93,637
Additional Homestead Selections .. .. .	4	3,482	9	6,069
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	2	2,740
"    Settlement Leases .. .. .	...	...	4	6,320
"    Conditional Purchase Lease .. .. .	...	...	3	835
"    Crown Leases .. .. .	10	9,547	33	25,662
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	3	742
"    Homestead Farms .. .. .	10	8,965	48	46,037
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	6	4,009
"    Suburban Holdings .. .. .	1	4	19	382
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	2	7
Total .. .. .	96	45,756	636	232,658

## AREAS SPECIALLY SET APART FOR RESIDENTIAL SETTLEMENT.

Description of Holding.	During September, 1919.		1st January to 30th September, 1919.	
	Blocks.	Area.	Blocks.	Area.
ORIGINAL HOLDINGS.				
Crown Leases—ordinary .. .. .	No. 8	Acres. 13,138	No. 96	Acres. 112,074
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	6	14,081	74	178,149
Homestead Farms—ordinary .. .. .	...	...	69	86,799
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	61	75,565	301	336,646
Suburban Holdings—ordinary .. .. .	18	382	175	3,493
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	1	1
Special Holdings for returned soldiers .. .. .	24	487	177	10,192
Settlement Purchases (Closer Settlement Acts) .. .. .	...	...	1	484
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	2	1,081	9	9,575
Irrigation Farms .. .. .	...	...	1	99
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	107	2,196	252	12,481
Group Purchases for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	10	5,766
Week-end Leases .. .. .	...	...	16	462
Town Lands Blocks (without residence) within an Irrigation Area .. .. .	...	...	173	44
Original Conditional Purchases .. .. .	4	1,857	10	2,391
Original Conditional Purchase and Conditional Lease in virtue thereof .. .. .	...	...	17	7,028
"    "    "    "    soldiers .. .. .	...	...	2	380
Total .. .. .	250	108,787	1,384	765,974
ADDITIONAL HOLDINGS.				
Every Class of Additional Holdings .. .. .	16	6,206	199	143,421
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	1	300
Additional Conditional Purchases .. .. .	...	...	8	1,361
"    Conditional Purchases and Conditional Leases .. .. .	...	...	12	4,639
"    "    "    "    soldiers .. .. .	...	...	...	...
"    Homestead Selections .. .. .	1	46	4	2,052
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	4	1,594
"    Settlement Leases .. .. .	...	...	2	2,740
"    Suburban Holdings .. .. .	1	7	26	381
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	2	5
"    Crown Leases .. .. .	...	...	6	4,250
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	...	...	1	361
"    Homestead Farms .. .. .	1	500	15	32,762
"    "    "    for returned soldiers .. .. .	1	99	7	4,038
"    Homestead Farms and Additional Crown Leases .. .. .	...	...	...	...
"    "    "    or Settlement Leases .. .. .	...	...	1	730
Total .. .. .	20	6,858	288	198,734

# No. 63.—Latest Proclamations as to Prices of Commodities in New South Wales.

Fixed under the Commonwealth War Precautions (Prices) Regulations.

Commodity.	Date of latest Proclamation.	District covered.	Unit.	Maximum Price Allowed to be Charged.
Butter (wholesale) ...	21-7-19	Sydney ...	cwt. ...	First grade, in 56 lb. boxes, 18s.; in 28 lb. boxes, 18s. 4d.; 1 lb. prints, 18s.; ½ lb. prints, 19s. 4d. Bulk, less than 28 lb., 18s.
„ (retail) ...	„	„ ...	lb. ...	First grade, 1s. 10d.; in prints, 1s. 10½d.
„ „ ...	„	„ ...	lb. ...	Booked, plus ½d.; delivered, another ½d.
„ „ ...	„	Other places ...	lb. ...	Above prices, plus cost of transport.
Cheese (wholesale) ...	14-4-19	Sydney ...	lb. ..	Large, medium, new, 1s. 0d. Loaf, new, 1s. 0½d.
„ (retail) ...	„	„ ...	„ ...	Above prices, plus 3d.
„ „ ...	„	„ ...	„ ...	Stored 3 months, above prices plus 1d.
„ „ ...	„	At factory ...	„ ...	Above prices, less carriage to Sydney.
„ „ ...	„	Other places ...	„ ...	Price at place of purchase, plus carriage.
Sugar IA (wholesale) ...	19-1-16	Metropolitan ...	Ton ...	£29 5s.
„ „ ...	„	Remainder of State ...	„ ...	£29 5s., plus actual freight.
„ (retail) ...	„	Metropolitan ...	lb. ...	3½d.
„ „ ...	„	Remainder of State ...	„ ...	3½d., plus actual freight.

Fixed by Proclamations of the Necessary Commodities Control Commission, N.S.W.

Commodity.	Date of latest Proclamation.	District covered.	Unit.	Maximum Price Allowed to be Charged.
All commodities ...	21-7-19	N.S.W. ...	.....	Same as on 21-7-19.
Split Peas' ...	8-8-19	„ ...	cwt. ...	1s. 6d. more than on 21-7-19.
White Pepper ...	„	„ ...	lb. ...	3d. more than on 21-7-19.
Salt (wholesale) ...	27-9-19	Sydney ...	ton ...	Coarse, £5 7s. 6d.; crude, £4 12s. 6d.; refined coarse, £5 17s. 6d.; floussy fine, £6 10s. 0d.; extra fine, £6 12s. 6d. Bag rates, prices ruling on 21-7-19
„ „ ...	„	Other parts of State ...	„ ...	Above prices, plus cost of transport.
„ (retail) ...	„	N.S.W. ...	„ ...	Prices ruling on 21-7-19.
Cornflour and Maizena ...	8-8-19	„ ...	lb. ...	½d. more than on 21-7-19.
Baking Powder (Newman's) ...	5-9-19	N.S.W. ...	doz. ...	14 oz. tins, 18s. 6d.; 7 oz. tins, 9s. 6d.
Salmon ...	„	„ ...	1 lb. tins ...	13s. 6d. to 20s. doz.
„ „ ...	„	„ ...	½ lb. tins ...	7s. 6d. to 13s. 6d. doz.
Gas ...	29-8-19	Katoomba and Leura.	1,000 feet ...	Lighting, 7s. 6d.; lighting and cooking, 7s. 1d.; power, 5s. 10d. Through pre-payment meter—Lighting, 8s. 4d.; lighting and cooking, 7s. 7d.
„ „ ...	19-9-19	Wollongong ...	„ ...	Lighting, 8s. 4d.; cooking, 6s. 8d.; power, 6s. 8d.
„ „ ...	27-9-19	Maitland ...	„ ...	6s.; through pre-payment meters, 6s. 5d.
„ „ ...	„	Hay ...	„ ...	Lighting, 13s. 4d.; heating and power, or heating, power, and lighting (mixed rate), 10s. 10d.
„ „ ...	31-10-19	Orange ..	„ ...	5s. 6d.
„ „ ...	14-11-19	Wallsend and Plattsburg.	„ ...	5d. above price on 21-7-19.
„ „ ...	14-11-19	Manly ...	„ ...	5s. 10d.

# No. 63.—Latest Proclamations as to Prices of Commodities in New South Wales—*continued.*

Fixed by Proclamations of the Necessary Commodities Control Commission, N.S.W.—*continued.*

Commodity.	Date of latest Proclamation.	District covered.	Unit.	Maximum Price Allowed to be Charged.
Gas— <i>continued</i> ..	8-10-19	Singleton ...	1,000 feet ...	Lighting, 7s. 11d.; cooking and power, 6s. 3d.; lighting and cooking (mixed rate), 6s. 8d.; lighting (pre-payment rate), 8s. 9d.; cooking and power, 7s. 11d.; lighting and cooking, 7s. 6d.
Brandy (Bisquit Dubouche).	19-9-19	N.S.W. ..	case ...	7s. 6d. more than on 21-7-19.
Coffee (Cremo Company).	27-9-19	" ...	lb. ...	1s. 10d.
Canned Meats—"Fitzroy" and "Hamper"	"	" ...	doz. 1 lb. tins	Beef, 14s. 6d. to 17s. 9d.; collops, 17s. 6d.; ox cheek, 17s. 6d.
"	"	" ...	" 2 "	Beef, 25s. 9d. to 32s.; collops, 32s.; ox cheeks, 32s.
"	"	" ...	" 1½ "	Ox kidneys, 32s.; ox tongues, 49s.
"	"	" ...	" 2½ "	Ox tongues, 47s.
"	"	" ...	" 2 oz. tins	Ox tongues, 57s.
Bacon and Hams	8-10-19	" ...	lb. ...	Extract, 18s. 3d.
Bread ...	20-10-19	" other than specified below.	2 lb. loaf ...	2d. more than on 21-7-19.
"	"	Singleton ...	" "	1d. more than on 24-9-19.
"	24-10-19	Orange ...	" "	4½d. cash over counter, 4½d. delivered and paid for in 7 days, 5d. delivered and booked.
"	"	Broken Hill ...	" "	4½d. at shop, 4½d. delivered.
"	31-10-19	Young ...	" "	4½d. cash, 5d. booked.
"	"	" ...	1 lb. "	2½d.
"	"	Gulgargambone ...	2 lb. "	4½d. cash, 5d. booked.
"	"	Burrage ...	" "	5d.
"	"	Hill End ...	" "	5d. cash, 5½d. booked.
"	"	Goulburn ...	" "	4½d. cash, 4½d. cash and delivered, 5d. booked and delivered.
"	14-11-19	Wallendbeen ...	" "	4½d. cash, 4½d. booked.
"	"	Brewarrina ...	" "	5d. delivered, 5½d. booked and delivered.
"	"	Bowral, Moss Vale, Mittagong, Picton.	" "	4½d. cash, 4½d. cash and delivered.
"	28-11-19	Barraba ...	" "	4½d. cash, 5d. booked
"	7-11-19	Mudgee and Wellington.	" "	4½d. cash, 5d. booked.
Bran and Pollard (wholesale).	20-10-19	Cumberland, Northumberland, and certain towns.	ton ...	£5 10s.
Bran and Pollard (retail).	"	" "	bushel ...	1s. 7d. (bag lots of 5 bushels and more).
"	"	Other parts of State.	"	1s. 8d. (lots less than 5 bushels).
Self-raising Flour	24-10-19	N.S.W. ...	2 lb. packet	Above prices, plus cost of transportation.
Flour (wholesale) for cash.	7-11-19	Cumberland and Northumberland.	ton ...	£11 15 0 to £14 10 0.
"	"	Bathurst, Goulburn, Millthorpe, Orange.	" ...	11 12 6 to 13 17 6.
"	"	Queanbeyan ...	" ...	12 3 6 to 14 8 6.
"	"	Quirindi ...	" ...	13 5 0 to 15 10 0.
"	"	Inverell and Tentfield ...	" ...	13 10 0 to 15 15 0.
"	"	Seven other towns.	" ...	13 7 6 to 15 12 6.
"	"	Twenty-six other towns.	" ...	11 10 0 to 13 15 0.
Flour (retail) for cash	"	As above ...	lb. ...	2d.
"	"	" ...	25 lb. bag ...	4s. 1d. to 4s. 8½d.
"	"	" ...	50 "	7s. 9d. to 8s. 10½d.
"	"	" ...	100 "	13s. 11d. to 15s. 11d.
"	"	" ...	150 "	19s. 7½d. to £1 2s. 11½d.
Milk (local) ...	24-10-19	Cumberland	Quart ...	8d.
" (fresh country) ...	14-11-19	"	"	8d.
" (fresh) ...	23-11-19	Narrandera	"	9d.

NOTE.—The following commodities have since 21-7-19 been exempted from the provisions of the proclamation of that date:—Gas (A.G.L. Co., Ltd., and N.S.G. Co., Ltd.), Fish, Tea, Maize, Oats, Chaff, Eggs, Potatoes, Tapioca, Drugs and Drug Preparations.

## No. 64.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1861–1918.

Area, 309,460 square miles.			1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1918.
<b>Population.</b>									
31st December ...	persons		357,978	517,758	782,080	1,162,190	1,376,199	1,698,736	1,928,174
<b>Births</b> ...	No.		14,681	20,143	28,993	39,458	37,875	47,677	50,700
... ..	rate		41.56	39.64	37.90	34.55	27.71	28.64	26.55
<b>Deaths</b> ...	No.		5,343	6,407	11,536	16,286	16,021	17,179	18,840
... ..	rate		15.12	12.61	15.08	14.26	11.72	10.32	9.87
<b>Marriages</b> ...	No.		3,222	3,953	6,284	8,457	10,538	15,207	13,199
... ..	rate		9.12	7.78	8.21	7.41	7.71	9.17	6.91
<b>Agriculture.</b>									
Total area under crop...	acres		295,917	393,413	583,868	846,383	2,276,528	3,629,170	4,462,916
Wheat—Area ...	...		123,468	154,030	221,887	356,666	1,392,070	2,380,710	3,329,371
Yield... ..	bshl.		1,606,034	2,229,642	3,405,966	3,963,668	4,808,705	5,088,102	37,712,000
Average ... ..	...		13.0	14.5	15.4	11.1	10.6	10.5	11.3
Maize—Area ...	acres		57,959	119,956	117,478	174,577	167,333	167,781	145,754
Yield... ..	bshl.		1,727,484	4,015,973	4,330,956	5,721,700	3,844,993	4,507,342	3,499,690
Average ... ..	...		29.8	33.5	36.9	32.8	22.9	26.9	24.0
Hay—Area ...	acres		45,175	51,805	146,610	163,463	442,103	654,149	620,644
Yield... ..	tons		57,363	77,460	198,532	209,417	472,621	728,174	784,206
Average ... ..	...		1.27	1.50	1.36	1.28	1.07	1.11	1.26
Total value of all Agri- cultural production	£		*	2,220,000	4,216,000	3,615,000	7,060,000	9,749,000	13,685,000
Total value per acre under crop ... ..	£		*	5/11/9	7/4/5	4/5/5	3/2/0	2/13/9	3/1/4
<b>Pastoral, Dairying, &amp;c.</b>									
Sheep ... ..	No.		5,615,054	16,278,607	36,591,946	61,831,416	41,857,099	44,947,287	38,621,196
Cattle ... ..	...		2,271,923	2,014,888	2,597,348	2,128,838	2,047,454	3,194,236	3,101,717
Horses ... ..	...		233,220	304,100	398,577	469,047	486,767	689,004	742,247
Pigs ... ..	...		146,091	213,193	213,916	253,189	265,730	371,093	396,157
Production of Wool ...	lb.		19,254,800	74,401,300	161,676,000	375,600,000	310,075,000	371,540,000	284,188,000
Value (f.o.b., Sydney)	£		1,408,000	4,760,000	7,187,200	11,059,300	9,072,100	13,264,000	19,538,000
Production of Butter...	lb.		*	*	*	18,362,897	39,056,878	83,204,558	80,468,007
... Cheese...	...		*	*	*	5,506,071	3,838,835	5,466,652	7,799,676
... Bacon & Ham	...		*	*	*	6,009,600	11,080,891	16,102,827	18,555,144
Total value of Pastoral and Dairying Production	£		*	8,799,000	13,151,000	17,460,000	15,598,000	24,649,000	36,915,000
<b>Mineral Production.</b>									
Gold ... ..	oz. fine		425,209	294,389	135,033	131,654	173,543	181,121	87,045
... ..	£		1,860,171	1,250,485	573,582	559,231	737,104	769,353	399,743
Silver ... ..	oz.		...	...	...	729,590	448,501	1,767,496	2,007,037
... ..	£		...	...	...	134,850	50,484	177,995	419,493
Silver-lead & ore, &c.	ton		...	...	...	147,780	417,078	338,469	295,045
... ..	£		...	...	...	3,484,739	1,803,979	2,265,669	4,711,669
Copper—ingots & ore, &c.	ton		*	*	4,124	2,710	6,733	12,100	6,510
... ..	£		3,532	11,828	267,884	110,195	412,292	590,102	636,580
Tin—ingots and ore ...	ton		...	*	6,433	1,657	659	1,029	1,850
... ..	£		(2)12,227	568,795	133,993	76,544	307,089	548,876	...
Zinc—Spelter, Concentrates	ton		...	...	...	219	632	510,378	87,019
... ..	£		...	...	...	2,622	4,057	1,414,980	295,413
Coal ... ..	ton		342,068	898,785	1,769,597	4,037,929	5,968,426	8,691,604	9,093,176
... ..	£		218,821	316,340	603,248	1,742,796	2,178,929	3,167,165	4,941,807
Total value of all Mineral Production ... ..	£		2,029,000	1,626,000	2,138,000	6,434,000	5,681,000	9,410,000	13,941,000
<b>Production from Minor Primary Industries (including Forests and Fisheries).</b>			£	(3) 400,000	(3) 650,000	(3) 758,000	(3) 733,000	3,250,000	5,544,000
<b>Production all Primary Industries</b>	£		*	12,955,000	20,155,000	28,267,000	29,072,000	47,058,000	70,085,000
... .. per head	£		*	25/9/10	26/6/11	24/15/1	21/5/4	28/5/5	37/1/1
<b>Land Settlement.</b>									
Alienated holdings—									
1,000 acres and under ...	No.		*	*	36,259	46,566	64,950	81,722	85,917
... .. area	...		*	*	6,628,310	8,827,066	10,673,563	13,669,311	14,780,429
1,000 to 10,000 acres ...	No.		*	*	2,646	4,307	5,160	7,803	9,433
... .. area	...		*	*	6,990,312	11,379,329	13,395,738	19,551,728	23,743,415
Over 10,000 acres ...	No.		*	*	449	677	719	708	735
... .. area	...		*	*	14,073,597	21,884,299	22,638,524	20,185,845	19,263,231
<b>Manufactories.</b>									
Factories ... ..	No.		601	1,813	2,961	3,056	3,367	5,339	5,474
Persons employed ...	males		*	*	28,819	43,203	54,556	82,123	97,025
... .. females	...		*	*	2,372	7,676	11,674	26,541	30,529
Salaries and Wages paid ...	£		*	*	*	4,772,704	4,945,079	10,471,662	14,701,255
Value of Machinery and Plant	£		*	*	*	4,386,475	5,800,725	12,510,600	21,739,739
Total value of Output ...	£		*	*	*	16,800,732	25,648,471	54,346,041	96,178,191
Value of Production (value added to raw materials)	£		*	*	*	*	*	*	*
... .. per head	£		*	2,424,000	5,025,000	7,799,000	9,742,000	19,143,000	29,017,000
... ..	£		*	4/15/5	6/11/4	6/10/7	7/12/6	11/10/1	15/6/9
<b>Shipping.</b>									
Inwards, Vessels ...	No.		1,327	1,891	2,254	2,402	2,760	3,127	2,278
... .. tons	...		366,235	706,019	1,456,239	2,752,157	4,133,200	6,822,135	4,343,689
Outwards, Vessels ...	No.		1,396	2,123	2,103	2,954	2,953	3,146	2,284
... .. tons	...		379,452	794,450	1,330,261	2,801,320	4,274,101	6,833,782	4,285,103

\* Not available.

(2) Year 1872. (3) Value of Forests and Fisheries only. Other minor industries (poultry, bees, &amp;c.) are included in Pastoral and Dairying.



## No. 64.—Comparative Summary—New South Wales, 1861-1918—continued.

	1861.	1871.	1881.	1891.	1901.	1911.	1918.
<b>Trade †</b>							
Imports, Oversea ... .. £	4,547,813	5,481,655	11,829,007	15,127,641	17,560,207	27,343,428	42,509,710
"     "     per head     £	12/17/6	10/15/9	15/9/3	13/4/11	12/16/11	16/8/7	22/1/2
Exports, Oversea ... .. £	3,690,748	5,452,840	9,753,644	14,620,889	18,210,627	32,101,401	48,871,726
"     "     per head     £	10/8/11	10/14/7	12/15/0	12/16/0	13/6/5	19/6/5	25/6/1
Interstate Transfers, Inwards £	2,056,255	4,453,412	5,758,005	10,255,756	9,368,011	*	*
"     "     Outwards £	2,918,713	5,806,379	6,554,161	11,323,131	9,140,497	*	*
<b>Produce of New South Wales, exported Overseas. (1)</b>							
Wool (greasy and scoured) lb.	12,745,891	38,323,302	81,906,922	235,470,988	217,285,747	295,315,438	145,210,777
"     "     £	1,396,426	2,292,522	4,107,715	7,070,460	7,420,119	11,704,409	1,821,724
Wheat and Flour ... .. bus.	28,025	8,445	21,699	54,947	5,204,892	11,324,845	11,671,364
"     "     £	9,570	2,414	5,337	11,683	680,719	5,519,354	2,997,960
Butter ... .. lb.	(2) 53,088	(2) 115,040	402,421	401,690	8,699,817	33,044,324	25,694,697
"     "     £	2,536	27,415	11,992	17,756	379,341	1,518,993	1,738,206
Frozen Mutton ... .. lb.	...	...	*	*	39,369,792	59,048,989	8,720,821
"     "     £	...	...	*	*	382,385	682,027	207,157
Other Meats ... .. £	11,536	130,999	191,774	194,013	381,768	697,002	1,508,990
Tallow ... .. £	58,393	245,352	244,271	292,672	362,631	871,018	36,881
Leather ... .. £	6,810	83,899	130,417	130,774	347,327	323,517	459,850
Skins and Hides ... .. £	77,127	38,115	130,277	376,295	431,232	1,145,138	1,907,530
Minerals and Ores (exclusive of Gold) ... .. £	65,372	248,696	1,214,085	1,392,076	1,893,314	4,072,531	8,353,563
Timber, undressed ... .. £	2,221	3,990	12,930	44,437	76,124	243,811	105,377
<b>Public Finance. (3) †</b>							
Net Revenue proper ... .. £	1,421,831	2,215,846	6,551,134	9,773,332	11,007,356	15,797,136	23,448,166
"     "     per head ... .. £	4/0/6	4/7/2	8/11/3	8/11/2	7/10/11	9/0/0	12/2/10
Expenditure proper ... .. £	1,529,788	2,660,948	5,625,749	10,215,820	11,008,173	16,137,279	23,233,398
"     "     per head ... .. £	4/6/7	5/4/11	7/7/1	8/18/11	8/0/0	12/1/7	12/1/7
Loan Expenditure ... .. £	409,121	488,727	2,397,368	4,750,167	4,939,241	5,491,103	3,918,867
"     "     per head ... .. £	1/3/2	19/3	3/2/8	4/3/2	3/11/9	3/4/8	2/0/7
<b>Public Debt. †</b>							
Total ... .. £	4,717,630	10,614,330	16,974,019	52,950,733	67,361,246	95,523,926	147,174,536
Per head ... .. £	11/4/6	20/10/0	21/12/10	45/11/3	49/7/1	57/9/9	75/1/4
<b>Banks. †</b>							
Deposits ... .. £	5,029,692	7,043,886	20,308,017	35,650,690	33,258,456	57,140,156	88,725,744
Advances ... .. £	5,764,059	7,068,022	20,935,596	45,068,914	35,068,787	49,916,008	88,803,710
Assets ... .. £	8,809,829	11,592,076	27,870,483	53,599,259	43,437,559	61,305,824	119,040,261
Liabilities ... .. £	6,292,170	8,016,832	22,394,316	37,589,764	35,077,832	57,755,159	87,749,442
<b>Savings B. nks. †</b>							
Depositors ... .. No.	13,282	24,379	72,384	158,426	306,311	544,023	984,951
Deposits ... .. £	615,409	945,915	2,698,701	5,342,135	11,808,710	25,301,338	47,070,342
Average per depositor ... .. £	46/8	38/16/0	37/5/8	33/14/5	38/11/0	46/12/4	47/15/9
"     "     per head of population £	1/14/5	1/16/6	3/9/0	4/11/11	8/11/7	14/18/7	24/0/2
<b>Railways. (4)</b>							
Line open ... .. miles	74	359	996	2,197	3,026	3,832	4,824
Capital cost ... .. £	1,536,032	5,887,258	13,301,597	33,312,608	40,565,793	53,514,093	76,601,591
Passengers carried ... .. No.	595,591	759,062	6,997,312	19,018,915	30,885,214	70,706,728	98,568,768
Net Earnings ... .. £	13,847	158,257	705,892	1,193,044	1,491,317	2,321,882	3,053,723
Net return on capital invested per cent.	90	269	531	358	348	441	399
<b>Tramways. (4)</b>							
Line open ... .. miles	...	...	9½	48	104	195½	225
Capital cost ... .. £	...	...	169,450	1,099,659	2,829,363	5,664,324	8,568,138
Passengers carried ... .. No.	...	...	7,090,125	71,477,948	108,135,111	266,789,546	258,797,814
Net Earnings ... .. £	...	...	10,442	56,799	89,773	249,980	386,977
Net return on capital invested per cent.	...	...	616	528	317	463	452
<b>Postal.</b>							
Offices ... .. No.	340	570	1,128	1,728	2,208	2,490	2,579
Letters and Post Cards ... .. No.	4,369,463	7,509,500	26,534,160	68,987,300	82,783,467	189,656,401	255,177,316
"     "     per head ... .. £	12/37	14/77	34/62	60/41	60/56	113/94	134/91
Newspapers ... .. No.	3,384,245	3,992,100	16,527,900	42,517,300	52,317,650	71,619,194	62,326,777
"     "     per head ... .. £	9/58	7/86	21/60	37/23	38/27	43/03	32/55
<b>Telegraphs and Telephones.</b>							
Stations ... .. No.	36	89	318	674	978	1,406	2,237
Length of wire (5) ... .. miles	1,981	5,579	14,278	24,780	46,153	31,123	37,236
Telegrams ... .. No.	74,204	218,530	1,607,206	4,046,251	3,449,315	5,863,560	7,598,417
Telephone Line Connections No.	...	...	...	1,558	9,864	34,551	62,123
<b>Money Orders.</b>							
Issued in New South Wales £	...	293,370	771,978	1,577,744	1,657,488	2,819,183	4,595,380
Paid ... .. £	...	271,842	675,025	1,518,987	1,669,730	2,949,204	4,574,868
<b>Public Schools.</b>							
Schools at close of the year No.	179	659	1,406	2,461	2,818	3,125	3,152
Teachers ... .. No.	*	810	2,199	4,438	5,212	6,517	8,523
Scholars on roll (6) ... .. No.	11,660	39,770	144,119	206,438	210,588	221,810	280,230
Average attendance ... .. No.	*	*	*	122,538	154,404	160,776	225,796
Expenditure by the State on Education, etc. ... .. £	76,911	151,225	687,422	1,002,379	918,819	1,390,146	2,214,360

\* Not available. † The figures under heading 1918 are for the year ended 30th June, 1919. ‡ Exclusive of gold.

(1) The exports in 1917-18 include articles produced in other States of Australia. Since 1st January, 1912, the Federal Customs Department has classified all goods produced in the Commonwealth simply as "Australian," without distinguishing, as formerly, the particular State where they were produced. (2) Includes cheese.

(3) For 1861 Gross Revenue and Expenditure are shown. Particulars for 1901 and 1911 are for the year ended 30th June following. (4) Subsequent to 1881 the particulars are for the year ended 30th June following.

(5) 1891 and 1901 include telephone wire; 1911 is exclusive of mileage of wire erected for railways; total length, 1914, last year of record. (6) 1901 and following years are for the December quarter.

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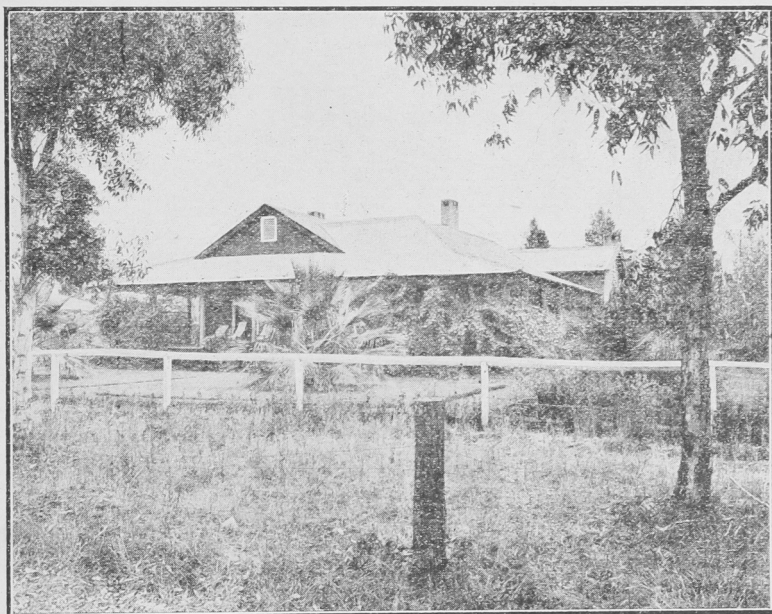
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